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KITCHENER LOST AT SEA ON WAY TO RUSSIA

Cruiser Carrying Him Sunk by Mine or Torpedo Off Orkneys

PROGRESSIVES HELP COMBINE IN TRYING TO ELIMINATE HUGHES

**Favorite Sons With 550 Votes of 935
Seek to Bind Delegates to Vote
One Way Until There Is Signal
for a Break—Conferences in Inter-
est of Harmony Continue.**

By Associated Press.

CHICAGO, June 6.—Convinced that Col. Roosevelt cannot be nominated by the Republican convention, the defensive combination of favorite son candidates, which is said to control about 550 votes of the 935 in the convention, today exerted its full influence to eliminate Justice Hughes. In this effort they received the enthusiastic and united support of all elements of the Progressive party leaders.

This is caucus day for state delegations and the favorite son managers are busy tying up their men with iron-clad pledges to stick to the combination until the break comes in accordance with some plan to be decided on later.

While the old organization leaders are certain they have control of the convention, they admit that the situation is pregnant with uncertainties at present. They hope that with Roosevelt's aid they may be able to agree on a candidate acceptable to a majority of the Progressives and prevent a third ticket from being put into the field. The plan of the organization is to have the nominating speeches Friday, take two ballots and adjourn in the hope of effecting a compromise on someone agreeable to the Roosevelt forces.

Lodge as Compromise Candidate.

The two latest elements to be brought into consideration today were Justice Hughes' speech in Washington yesterday, touching upon Americanism, and discussion of Senator Lodge of Massachusetts as a compromise candidate for the Republican nomination, likely to command the support of Col. Roosevelt. Justice Hughes' supporters point to his speech as a substantial declaration on the question of Americanism and contend that it clears up the only issue on which the Justice has not previously announced his attitude.

Those opposed to the Justice characterize his speech "as only a list of platitudes." The practical politicians almost unanimously hold to the view that the speech is without significance in the present situation. They say that it is the sort of a speech expected from a scholarly man on such an occasion and that it means neither one thing nor another. Nevertheless it furnishes the subject for a great deal of discussion both ways among the delegates and there are evidences that it will continue to be a topic of interest.

Almost overshadowing the maneuvering among the Republicans today is the question of what the Progressive convention will do when it assembles tomorrow. The Republican leaders regard it as charged with possibilities of the most potent sort. On every hand they expect a tremendous demonstration for Col. Roosevelt despite efforts in some quarters to hold back a nomination until the Republicans have indicated their purpose, and there has been opportunity for further conferences between the two factions.

Lodge in Conference.

After Senator Lodge of Massachusetts had engaged in a series of conferences with supporters of Col. Roosevelt in both Republican and Progressive parties, it was reported last night that Lodge would be for the nomination of Col. Roosevelt as soon as he is released from his pledge to support Senator Weeks. Over the telephone, Senator Lodge said: "I have not said to anyone that I would support anyone other than Senator Weeks. I am going to nominate him and support him. Other than voting for Senator Weeks, my mind is open. I wish to deny that I have said to anyone that I would vote for other than Senator Weeks."

Early in the afternoon Senator Lodge had a long talk with George W. Perkins.

PERKINS DECLARES THIRD PARTY HAS NO SECOND CHOICE

In Statement to Progressive Delegates Leader Says, "We Are Here for T. R."

TALKS OF HUGHES' SPEECH

Amazed That Some Are Taking Advantage of It to Get Justice a Nomination.

By CURTIS A. BETTS,
A Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

CHICAGO, June 6.—George W. Perkins, Roosevelt representative in Chicago, who is in constant touch by telephone with Col. Roosevelt, this morning indicated clearly to newspaper correspondents that he did not consider the speech made yesterday by Justice Hughes on Americanism to be an announcement of principles which delegates should consider.

"I am amazed," he continued, "that persons are taking advantage of Justice Hughes' speech before a girls' college to get him a nomination for President. It was not a statement. It was just a little address. It has done gross injustice to

YUAN SHI KAI, HEAD OF CHINESE REPUBLIC, DIES

Stomach Trouble Was Followed by Nervous Collapse—Report He Had Been Poisoned Denied.

ENDS POLITICAL CRISIS

Li Yuan Hung Succeeds to Presidency, Meeting Demands of Southern Provinces.

PEKIN, June 6.—Yuan-Shi-Kai, President of the Chinese republic, died today.

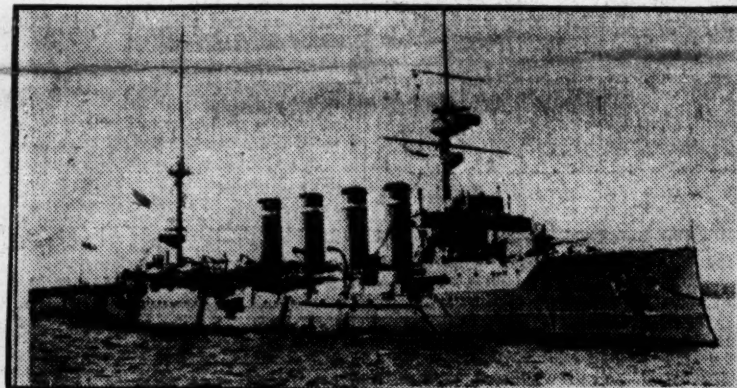
Premier Tuan Chi-Jui immediately advised Li Yuan Hung, the Vice President, of his succession to the presidency.

Yuan-Shi-Kai had been ill for several days with stomach trouble, which was followed by a nervous breakdown.

Quiet prevails today in the capital. The death of the President apparently solves the heated political crisis. Li Yuan Hung's succession to the presidency meets the demands of the leaders in the Southern provinces.

When Yuan was taken ill May 28 it was reported that he had been poisoned, but this was emphatically denied.

Yuan-Shi-Kai died while the storms of revolution were gathering in increasing



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him. It is unbelievable that he should do this for such a purpose. Whoever tries to use this statement for the purpose of getting him the nomination places him in an insincere position. "Every day for two years we have been drawing nearer to a world-wide cataclysm. The United States has now a matchless opportunity to render a world-wide service by providing it a leader in whom the world has confidence. That man is Theodore Roosevelt."

"Col. Roosevelt has neither said he was for nor against any man," Perkins continued. "When he does speak it will be over his own signature."

Later Perkins issued this statement to the Progressive delegates: "Let me remind you that we are not here for the avowed purpose of being against anybody. We are for somebody and that somebody is Theodore Roosevelt. I urge you to bear this in mind in all your conversations with whomsoever you talk while in Chicago. The process of tearing down men and things in this country and in the world should stop. It is time to be

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Lost War Minister, Ship He Went Down With and Scene of Disaster



FIELD MARSHAL LORD KITCHENER.

RAIN TO CONTINUE TONIGHT; FAIR AND WARMER TOMORROW

THE TEMPERATURES.			
3 a. m.	55	11 a. m.	71
6 a. m.	58	2 p. m.	78
9 a. m.	64	5 p. m.	75
10 a. m.	67	8 p. m.	64

Humidity at 7 a. m. today, 95 per cent.

Official forecast for St. Louis and vicinity: Rain and cooler tonight; Wednesday fair and somewhat warmer; strong north-west winds, diminishing.

Missouri — Partly cloudy in north, fair and cooler in east portion tonight; Wednesday, fair and somewhat warmer; strong north-west winds, diminishing.

Illinois — Rain tonight, cooler in south portion; Wednesday, fair, proceeded by showers in north portion; stage of the river: 23.3 feet; a fall of .7 of a foot.

LOSE anything? FIND it by phoning your want to the Post-Dispatch. Your credit is good if you rent a phone, or leave the ad with your druggist.

Three men were killed and three others seriously injured at 10:30 this morning, in an explosion of gas tanks at the United States Incandescent Light Co., 2901 Clark avenue. About 10 men received minor injuries.

The dead are: Robert W. Ferguson, general manager of the United States Incandescent Light Co.

Stanley Nogalski, 1519 Benton street, vice president of the Laclede Iron Works at 1215 Chestnut street.

Man believed to be Frank Hoffman, Nogalski's helper.

Robert Ferguson was about 35 years old. He was a brother of Hugh G. Ferguson of 969 Raymond avenue, president of the company, and a brother-in-law of Sam P. McCassey, a lawyer.

Nogalski's wife died recently. He is survived by three small children.

The man believed to have been Hoffman died at the city hospital. Charles E. Peterson, 31 years old, of 3411 Texas avenue, and Charles Walker, a negro, were taken to the hospital.

Peterson's right arm is nearly severed.

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WAR SECRETARY AND HIS STAFF WERE ON BOARD HAMPSHIRE

**Admiral Jellicoe Reports He Has
Little Hope of There Being
Any Survivors.**

HEAVY SEA RUNNING; ONLY BODIES ARE FOUND

**Warship That Carries 655 Men Meets Disaster
at 8 P. M.—Four Boats Are Seen to
Leave Vessel and One of Them,
Capsized, Is Discovered Later.**

LONDON, June 6.—Admiral Jellicoe, Commander of the British grand fleet, has reported to the Admiralty that the British cruiser Hampshire with Earl Kitchener and his staff, has been lost off the West Orkneys.

Admiral Jellicoe's report to the Admiralty follows:

"I have to report with deep regret that his majesty's ship, Hampshire, Capt. Herbert J. Saville, R. N., with Lord Kitchener and his staff on board, was sunk last night about 8 p. m. to the west of the Orkneys, either by a mine or a torpedo.

"Four boats were seen by observers on shore to leave the ship. The wind was northwest and heavy seas were running. Patrol vessels and destroyers at once proceeded to the spot and a party was sent along the coast to search, but only some bodies and a capsized boat have been found up to the present. As the whole shore has been searched from the seaward I greatly fear that there is little hope of there being any survivors.

"No report yet has been received from the search party on shore.

"H. M. S. Hampshire was on her way to Russia."

Accompanying Earl Kitchener as his staff were Hugh James O'Beirne, former Counselor of the British embassy at Petrograd and former Minister at Sofia; O. A. Fitzgerald, Earl Kitchener's private military secretary; Brigadier-General Ellershaw and Sir Frederick Donaldson.

Earl Kitchener would have been 56 years old on June 24.

An official statement issued this evening says that Earl Kitchener was to have discussed important military and financial questions with Emperor Nicholas.

When the news of the sinking of the Hampshire was received in London a meeting of the British War Council was called immediately. Sir William Robertson, Chief of the Imperial Staff, who probably will become the head of the War Office; Sir Edward Grey, Secretary for Foreign Affairs; Reginald McKenna, Chancellor of the Exchequer, and David Lloyd-George, Minister of Munitions, were present at the council.

There have been no recent reports of Earl Kitchener's movements. He was last mentioned Friday when he went to Westminster Palace to be questioned by members of the House of Commons who were not satisfied with the conduct of the war. No intimation was given that he intended to leave England.

Sir William Robertson Likely to Be Successor.

The first question asked when the news of Kitchener's death was announced was: "Who will succeed him?" The answer invariably was "Robertson, of course."

Sir William Robertson already had taken over the War Secretary's duties temporarily when the Secretary started on his ill-fated journey. Saturday and again yesterday he had audiences with King George to report the activities on the British front.

The General has the full confidence of the country. While only a member of Parliament may serve as Secretary of War, Gen. Robertson would be eligible if raised to the peerage or a member of the House of Commons might be appointed War Secretary with the understanding that the General, like Earl Kitchener, would have a free rein.

Naval officers expressed the opinion that the cruiser Hampshire must have struck a mine as it would have to be an exceedingly lucky shot for a torpedo to get a ship with her speed and under the conditions of the sea, which was very rough. The Hampshire, while an old boat and not fit for fleet action, was fast enough for patrol and blockade work. She recently had carried a crew of between 400 and 500 men. Her normal complement

Overshadows All Others

Yesterday, Monday, following their established custom, our Home-Merchants placed most of their pre-convention store news in the POST-DISPATCH.

To be explicit, they bought
49 Cols.
in the POST-DISPATCH alone.
Only "come out" in 3 of all 4 of the other papers combined to the extent of
53 Cols.

Circulation
That pulls.
Average for First 5 Months 1916:
Sunday Only.....373,100
Daily Average.....214,989
"FIRST IN EVERYTHING"

WORLD'S GREATEST VOLUNTEER ARMY WAS ORGANIZED BY EARL KITCHENER

Lord Kitchener inspecting the British position along the Aegean Sea on Gallipoli Peninsula.



Kitchener walking through the French lines at the Dardanelles.



Field Marshal Kitchener in the English trenches at the Dardanelles only a few yards from the Turks who did not, of course, suspect he was so close to them.

Milestones in the Career of Lord Kitchener

The following is an outline biography of "Kitchener of Khartoum."

- 1850 Born on June 4th at Croter House, Ballylongford, County Kerry, Ireland. His father was Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Horatio Kitchener of Cossington, Leicestershire, England, and his mother Frances, daughter of the Rev. John Chevallier, D. D., of Aspell Hall, Aspell, Suffolk, England.
- 1858 Entered Royal Military College, Woolwich.
- 1870 Volunteered for service in the second army of the Loire, under Gen. Chanzy.
- 1871 Jan. 4. Lieut. Royal Engineers.
- 1874-5 With the Palestine Survey, under Maj. Conder.
- 1872-82 Cyprus Survey. Vice Consul in Anatolia.
- 1882-4 Commanded Egyptian cavalry.
- 1884-5 Nile Expedition (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel). Dispatches: Medal with clasp; Second class Medjidie; Khedive's star.
- 1885-8 Delimitation of Zanzibar.
- 1886-8 Governor-General, Red Sea (operations around Suakin discharges: clasp).
- 1888-96 A. D. C. to the Queen.
- 1889-90 Commanded a Brigade in the Sudan (Dispatches: C. C. clasp).
- 1889-92 Adjutant-General Egyptian Army. Sirdar 1890.
- 1894 K. C. M. G.
- 1896 Commanded Dongola Expedition. Major-General K. C. B. First-class Omdia medal, Khedive's medal with two clasps.
- 1897 G. O. C. Nile Expedition.
- 1898 Commanded Khartoum Expedition. (Thanks of Parliament. Thanks of G. C. R.)
- 1899-1902 Chief of Staff in South Africa and Commander in Chief after giving up Indian command, made a tour of British colonies, Japan and elsewhere. G. C. I. E. (1903), G. C. S. I. (1909), G. C. M. G. (1912), Colonel Commandant R. E. since 1906.
- 1902-3 Commander in Chief in India. 1906, Field Marshal. After giving up Indian command, made a tour of British colonies, Japan and elsewhere. G. C. I. E. (1903), G. C. S. I. (1909), G. C. M. G. (1912), Colonel Commandant R. E. since 1906.
- 1910 Member of Committee of Imperial Defense.
- 1911-14 H. M.'s Agent and Consul-General in Egypt. K. P. (1911).
- 1914 Secretary of State for War. (August). Viscount Kitchener was an Egyptian Pasha, Colonel of the Seventh Gurkha Rifles, Hon. Colonel Third Battalion Lancashire Fusiliers (special reserve) and of several territorial units; a Knight of Justice St. John, Jerusalem; and High Sheriff of Ipswich, Oxford, Cambridge and Edinburgh universities have conferred honorary degrees upon him. He was Lord Rector elect of Edinburgh. He was not married. He was said to have only one hobby apart from his work—landscape gardening. His home at Broome Park was furnished with severe simplicity, but contains many souvenirs of his long life in the East.

of the Sudan, which meant the re-establishment of British possessions of these upper reaches of the Nile. Kitchener became the object of hero-worship in England. His campaign had been, and is to this day, much criticised, however, because of its ruthlessness. It was charged Kitchener trampled on his foes in an almost barbarous manner. On his return to England, however, he was generous enough to ask his countrymen to found a college at Khartoum wherein the sons of the dervish chiefs he had fought and overwhelmed might be educated in the knowledge of the West, a request that met with such response among the British people that the fund required was far over-subscribed.

For his triumphs in the Sudan he was raised to the peerage as Baron Kitchener of Khartoum, and received the thanks of Parliament and a grant of \$150,000. Shortly afterward he was promoted Lieutenant-General and then Chief of Staff to Lord Roberts in the South African war, and on Lord Roberts' return to England in November, 1900, succeeded him as Commander in Chief in that field. By constructing a 3500-mile chain of block houses he stopped the Boer raids and virtually ended the war in South Africa. This added to his popularity and prestige at home, and he was rewarded by the title of Viscount, promotion to the rank of General for distinguished services, the thanks of the Parliament and a grant of \$250,000.

Immediately after the peace Gen. Kitchener went to India as Commander in Chief of the British forces there, and in this position, which he held for seven years, he carried out not only many far-reaching administrative reforms, but a complete reorganization and strategic redistribution of the British and native forces. On leaving India in 1909 he was promoted Field Marshal, and appointed Commander in Chief and High Commissioner in the Mediterranean, and later on took a tour of inspection of the forces of the entire empire, drawing up a scheme of defense of the overseas dominions.

He then returned to Egypt, the scene of his first triumph, in the capacity of British agent and Consul General in Cairo—virtually a governor generalship of Egypt—and led in the economical development of the country, building new roads and irrigation projects on a large scale.

During all the years the British people had looked on Kitchener's silent, but effective work, they had never been able to fathom his personality. A cockney non-committal officer, who had seen much service under him, summed up the general opinion when he said of Kitchener: "He's no talker. Not 'im. 'E's all steel and 'n'ce."

His face was that of a man who rather asked for sympathy nor wanted it. He had steady, blue-gray, passionate eyes, and a heavy mustache covered a mouth that shut close and firm like a wolf trap. He believed with all his might in the gospel of work. He had illimitable self-confidence. For bustling and faint-heartedness he was incapable of feeling sympathy or showing mercy; an officer who failed him once got no second chance. He had a grim, laconic humor. "What is your taste in hairpins?" for instance, is said to have been the query with which he annihilated a dandified officer.

He was indifferent to popularity, particularly among women, and though feted all over the world in social circles, he never married. In 1910 he paid a brief visit to the United States during a trip around the world. At that time it came out in the New York papers that the great Kitchener was a "woman hater." He took occasion to deny this and said the only reason he had never married was because he believed a man could not be a good soldier and a good husband at the same time.

Falls Dead in Bank Building. A man identified by letters and a carpenter's union card as A. R. Connors, 361 Cass avenue, dropped dead in the lobby of the Mercantile Bank Building this morning. He was waiting for an elevator when he toppled over. His body was conveyed to the morgue. Death was evidently due to heart disease. He was about 60 years old.

Christian Brothers' Concert Tonight. The Christian Brothers' College Band and Chorists will give a concert in St. Mark's hall tonight.

was 655 men. She was completed in 1905 and was of 10,850 tons displacement. Her armament included four 7.5-inch guns and six 6-inch guns. Premier Asquith paid high tribute to Earl Kitchener's work in his speech at the recent adjournment of Parliament, saying no man could have raised the great armies which Kitchener assembled.

Great Britain's allies had great confidence in Earl Kitchener's judgment. His visits to France and Italy were supposed to have had important results in co-ordinating the work of the allies. The fact that he had left London for Russia is regarded as an indication that he was on a similar mission to that country.

Sir Hay Frederick Donaldson, among those who accompanied Lord Kitchener on the Hampshire, was technical adviser to David Lloyd-George, Minister of Munitions. He was prominent in the engineering world, being a past president of the Institute of Technical Engineers and a member of various engineering societies. He was born in 1856.

O'Brien Known in America. Hugh James O'Brien, in addition to other posts held during a long career in the diplomatic service, was second secretary to the British Embassy in Washington from 1896 to 1898. He was born in Ireland in 1866.

Brigadier-General Arthur Ellershaw, who was born in 1850 and entered the army in 1868, won honors in fighting on

Was a Footman

Sir William Robertson, who will probably succeed Earl Kitchener as War Minister, was in his youth a footman. He joined the army when 19 years old and after 10 years of hard work and rebuffs because of his station in life became a subaltern. He was sent to India and it was there and in South Africa that he showed the ability that caused rapid promotion. Despite all the efforts of the British aristocracy to hold him down, the "menial," as Kitchener called him, became chief of staff shortly after the beginning of the war.

Sir William Robertson in His Youth

was a Footman

SUFFRAGE TO GET A PUBLIC HEARING BEFORE THE G. O. P.

Resolutions Today Expected to Accept Recommendation of the Republican National Committee.

CHICAGO, June 6.—The Republican National Committee adjourned last night, after disposing of the 62 contests for seats in the convention. During the last four hours of the four-day session the most interesting decisions were made. These included: Refusal to place on the temporary roll of the convention any members of the District of Columbia delegation. Seating of both delegations from Louisiana, each member with half a vote, and requesting the delegation to select Armand Romaine of New Orleans for National Committeeman in place of Victor Lottel.

Decision that the Committee on Resolutions be asked to receive delegations from the suffrage convention and from preparedness organizations.

The District of Columbia contest was bitterly fought and an extension of time was given each of the three contesting delegations in which to present their evidence. The delegation headed by Frank J. Hogan of Washington, D. C., claimed a right to seats in the convention from the fact that it received a majority of the votes cast at a primary election called by a committee appointed by the National Committee.

CHICAGO IS PROMISED GOOD CONVENTION WEEK WEATHER

Showers Likely Today and Tomorrow but Clear Skies Are Expected to Be Continuous Thereafter.

CHICAGO, June 6.—Favorable weather for convention week is promised by the United States Weather Bureau here with no excessive temperatures. "Chicago will live up to its reputation as a summer resort," Prof. Henry J. Cope of the bureau announced in his weekly forecast. He predicted that the temperature will not go higher than 80 degrees and that the weather will be generally fair. Today and possibly Wednesday will mark the week's record with showers but after that the weather will be bright and fair.

4 COUNTY REPUBLICANS WIRE STIFF THEY ARE FOR HUGHES

Four prominent St. Louis County Republicans today sent the following telegram to Otto F. Stifel, chairman of the Missouri delegation at the Chicago convention:

"St. Louis County is for Hughes. No sentiment for Weeks."

2 TO 1 OFFERED AGAINST T. R. IN WALL STREET; NO TAKERS

2½ to 1 Bet Against Hughes, and Root Is Quoted at 5 to 1 and 6 to 1.

NEW YORK, June 6.—There was a slump today. John M. Shaw, a member of the stock exchange, said he knew a Wall Street man who was willing to bet \$25,000 to \$12,000 that T. R. would not be nominated. The bet was not covered.

Chester Thompson, the club betting commissioner, reported Saturday that he had placed \$5000 at even money that Roosevelt would be nominated. Saturday night, however, the odds slumped to 5 to 4 against the Colonel. There was some Hughes money placed in Wall Street at 2½ to 1. Odds on Root were quoted at 5 to 1 and 6 to 1. There was not very much money actually placed, however.

CHICAGO, June 6.—Jack Lyons of New York is anxious to wager \$5000 against Roosevelt as the Republican candidate. A friend steered him against Jim O'Leary, but the astute James said he would take the \$5000 at 7 to 10, provided Lyons would name his choice as winner. Jack's \$5000 still is looking for action.

TRY TO "TIE THE BULL OUTSIDE" IN VANDEVENTER PLACE

"Bulls in Uniform Make Many 'Bulls' in Attempt to Catch Escaped Animal."

While a crowd looked on this afternoon, policemen tried their hands as cowboys, after a young bull had jumped from a butcher's wagon and invaded the yard of Mrs. Joseph W. Dusenberry's home at 7 Vandeventer place.

The bull, calvined in "bully style," while uniformed policemen, known in slang as "harness bulls," made ineffectual attempts to rope and tie it. Not being adept at the work, they naturally made many "bulls."

With surprising agility the bull ducked and sidestepped, and at times found cover behind the shrubbery in the yard. The crowd bawled the policemen, one of the favorite admonitions being to "tie the bull outside."

The last bull-tie ended the bull had run out of the Dusenberry yard and was running west in Vandeventer place toward Bishop Tuttle's residence.

Auto Injures Girl, 10. Laura Sullivan, 10 years old, of 7205 Minnesota avenue, crossing the street at Michigan and Nagle avenues yesterday afternoon, was knocked down by an automobile, the driver of which left the scene of the accident without giving his name or address. Her left leg was fractured and she was internally hurt.

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STORY OF KITCHENER'S LIFE AND HIS GREAT SERVICES TO ENGLAND

EARL KITCHENER was appointed Secretary of State for War on Aug. 8, 1914, a few days after Great Britain's declaration of war on Germany. He was regarded as England's greatest soldier, and the decision of the Government to entrust him with supreme direction of the war was received with unanimous approval.

As the war progressed and Great Britain's deficiencies in certain directions, particularly in regard to the shortage of artillery ammunition, became apparent, Earl Kitchener was subjected to severe criticism, led by Lord Northcliffe, publisher of the Times and other newspapers. The Secretary was charged with responsibility for failure to foresee the extraordinary demand for heavy shells and as a result the Ministry of Munitions was formed, with David Lloyd-George as its head.

Earl Kitchener's responsibilities were further lessened by the appointment of Gen. Sir William Robertson as Chief of the Imperial Staff in December of last year. It was reported at that time that friction had arisen between Earl Kitchener and Field Marshal French, then in command of the British forces in France. Shortly after the appointment of Gen. Robertson, Field Marshal French relinquished his command and was succeeded by Gen. Sir Douglas Haig.

Notwithstanding the criticism directed against Earl Kitchener, his great accomplishments during the war are recognized universally. Foremost of his achievements was the creation from England's untrained manhood of a huge army. At the beginning of the war, Great Britain had only a few hundred thousand trained men. To-day more than 5,000,000 men are enrolled for the various branches of the service.

Most Notable Work Was Forming of a Great Army of Volunteers

Of several things that entitled Earl Kitchener to a place in world history, the most notable is that he organized the largest volunteer army the world has ever seen, in the greatest war of all times. Within a year from the sudden outbreak of the European war in August, 1914, the ranks of British fighting men were quadrupled by an increase from less than 1,000,000 to nearly 4,000,000.

All other great powers that entered the war had huge standing armies and compulsory military service. Great Britain alone faced the issue with confidence that its people would readily respond to the call of King and country without compulsion, and the precipitous developments that led to the war found both the people and the Government unanimous in the verdict that Kitchener was the man to lead in the recruiting and organization of the necessary army.

It was not a sentimental clamor, for though Kitchener was a proven hero of many campaigns, his personality was as impenetrable as hardened steel, and he was not a hero that could be loved; even the War Office had no pronounced liking for him, but on all sides there was profound respect for his military efficiency and for all he had done to extend the domains of the British empire.

ish Isles were covered with signs and posters urging young men to join the colors. Kitchener went through the country superintending the drilling of the army. From time to time there were reports indicating his failure to get the number of men he wanted, but within a year after the war opened Premier Asquith officially announced in Parliament that about 3,000,000 men had enlisted in the United Kingdom alone, and almost another million in the overseas dominions.

Kitchener, however, was the object of no little criticism. There was much grumbling because of the strict censorship he imposed, on newspapers and his utter disregard for war correspondents. Notwithstanding this, the British newspapers gave him active support prior to May 1915. During the winter months the War Secretary had announced the "big drive" would begin about May 1. The battle of Neuve Chapelle occurred in May, and England believed this was the beginning of the big drive. Shortly afterward reports reached England that the drive had halted owing to a shortage of munitions, especially high-explosive shells.

A section of the London press then declared that Kitchener had made a serious mistake in providing large quantities of shrapnel and insufficient high explosives. Newspaper attacks went so far as to suggest his being displaced as War Secretary, but the majority of the papers defended him. It was agreed that the raising of a big army and supplying munitions at the same time was too great a task for one man. The coalition developed the formation of a coalition cabinet and the creation of the new portfolio of Minister of Munitions, by which David Lloyd-George took charge, while Kitchener remained as War Minister.

Without his crowning achievements as the greater organizer of the British campaign in the European war, Kitchener had already won wide and lasting fame by his many campaigns in Egypt, South Africa and in India.

He was born June 24, 1850, in County Kerry, Ireland, a fact that gave rise to a general belief that he was of Irish blood, but his parents were of French and English descent. His father was a soldier, but of no very high rank, and he had managed to climb to the lieutenant colonelcy of a dragoon regiment, when he retired to the estate in Ireland where Horatio Herbert Kitchener, the to-be distinguished son, was born. Young Kitchener received his fundamental military education at Woolwich, where he displayed only ordinary brilliancy, with the exception of his liking for mathematics. On graduating he received a commission in the Royal Engineers, but when not yet 21 years of age he attached himself to a French army in the Franco-Prussian war. He had been in the service only a short time when he contracted pneumonia during a balloon flight, and had such a prolonged and serious illness that he had to give up further service for France. Kitchener's experience in European warfare—prior to his direction of the great war of

1914—therefore, had been limited only to a few balloon flights in France. In 1874 when a British expedition was sent out to survey Western Palestine, Kitchener was one of the eager volunteers accepted for this service. For months he traveled over the hills and valleys of this peaceable Bible land with his theodolite and surveying tape, and with this life in the open he grew to be a tall, gaunt subaltern with a hard face well burned. His contribution to the topographic knowledge of the Holy Land completed, young Kitchener was sent to Cyprus, which Great Britain had just acquired, to organize a system of coast, a work in which he displayed administrative ability and tact.

It was while there, in 1882, that he took his first step on the path that was to lead him eventually to Khartoum. Trouble was already brewing in the Sudan. Hearing that the Egyptian army was being organized by Sir Evelyn Wood, young Kitchener saw his opportunity with unerring instinct and lost no time in offering his services. The military authorities, recognizing at once his insight into the native character, put him in the intelligence department, and from the very outset of his Egyptian career negotiations of the utmost importance were entrusted to him and carried out with invariable success.

As an intelligence officer Kitchener accompanied Sir Herbert Stewart's desert column on that heroic, but disastrous enterprise known as the Gordon Relief Expedition—the relief of General Gordon from Khartoum where he had been entangled during the evacuation of the Sudan. Kitchener deeply took to heart the lessons of this fiasco, with its failure of transport and intelligence departments, and avoided these troubles in the expedition which he himself led, some years later. In the meantime Kitchener was employed in innumerable fights and raids against the dervishes or Mahdists of Southern Egypt.

In 1895 he became Governor of the Red Sea territories and set in motion a series of raids on the notorious Osman Digna, the dervish leader. In one of these raids Kitchener's men were flanked and put to flight,

during which he received a bullet which broke his jaw. By this time much was heard in England of Kitchener's work in Egypt and when he returned there for a short rest he was received with honor and nominated aide-de-camp of Queen Victoria. With his health recruited, he went back to Egypt where, on the resignation of Sir Francis Grenfell, he was appointed Sirdar (commander) of the Egyptian army. His really great career dates from that time.

As an instance of the self-confidence with which Kitchener undertook his tasks in Egypt is recalled how he dealt with the War Office as few Generals before him ever dared. On one occasion he sent home for a special kind of gun. The War Office suggested another kind. The Sirdar repeated his orders. Next he was informed that the War Office guns had been forwarded, whereupon he dispatched a politely insolent message home saying that he was very grateful, but the War Office could keep its guns. His message read: "I can throw stones at the dervishes myself." As a consequence the guns he asked for were forwarded without delay.

The Kitchener campaign that ended with the capture of Khartoum was considered by military experts as perfectly organized and faultlessly conducted. The Egyptian army that Kitchener had worked up to such remarkable efficiency was, when he first took charge of it a band of unpaid, unfed, and undisciplined felloes. It was said to be an army "without stomach, heart or backbone," but Kitchener worked over these helpless remnants of broken natives and made of them some of the finest of black battalions.

The fight at Omdurman, Sept. 2, 1898, just across the Nile from Khartoum, was the greatest battle of Kitchener's time in Egypt. Osman Digna faced him with 50,000 Mahdists, while he had but 20,000 men. When the battle was over, 12,000 of the Mahdists had been killed outright, 18,000 wounded, and 600 taken prisoners, while the English and Egyptian loss altogether was under 500 men. With the capture of Khartoum, capital

PLANKS TO PLACATE PROGRESSIVES TO GO INTO REPUBLICAN PLATFORM

AMERICANISM TO BE BIG PUNCH IN CHICAGO PLATFORM

Borah and Sutherland Would Make It the Basic Plank of Convention.

LODGE TO HEAD BODY

Strong Effort Will Be Made in Declaration to Meet Demands of Progressives.

CHICAGO, June 6.—Senator Lodge of Massachusetts is almost certain to be chosen chairman of the Resolutions Committee of the Republican convention. Senator Lodge arrived here yesterday with the Massachusetts delegation, which selected him to represent the State on the committee which will frame the platform.

"I do not know that I am to be chairman of the committee," said Senator Lodge. "Expecting to represent Massachusetts on the committee, however, I have been giving the platform considerable thought. But I have no plan to talk about the platform."

Senator Borah of Idaho, who will represent his State on the Resolutions Committee, has also arrived.

"I think that Americanism will be the dominant feature of the platform," said Senator Lodge. "The plank on Americanism should include the declarations of the party regarding the European war and our relation to it, the Mexican problem and an expression of the obligations of an American citizen."

"I have written no platform but I have some ideas that I will propose. So will many other Republicans and a little later I may have something to say on these subjects in concrete form."

Wants Affirmative Platform. "For one, I believe it will be the wise thing for the party to make some clear affirmations rather than to denounce existing conditions or mistakes of others."

Although the disposition among leaders is to leave decision on the platform to the convention itself, consideration has been given to outstanding features. Every effort will be made in the platform to incorporate some Progressive party ideas. A recall plank probably will not be approved by leaders in platform framing, but a strong fight will be made for an endorsement of woman suffrage.

Considerable stress has been laid on Americanism. Senator Sutherland has gone so far as to suggest that this word should be used as a key to the whole superstructure, all other declarations being built around a ringing pronouncement in favor of Americanism.

His belief is that a satisfactory platform could be constructed upon that principle and that even the tariff plank could be made to fit into a declaration for Americanism only.

Declaration of Nationalism. While not committed themselves entirely to this plan of procedure, other platform builders support an out-and-out declaration for nationalism. Some of them are inclined to the belief that his plan might result in too great restriction and thus exclude many necessary matters.

Some also are getting away from the thought that the platform should be exceptionally brief. "We don't want to be uselessly prolix," said Senator Borah, "but we cannot and must not overlook the fact that the Republicans are out of power and, that being the case, we owe it to the country to present a comprehensive statement of basis of our appeal for support. If we had a Republican President his record might be sufficient platform in itself. Not being thus situated, we are called upon to say what we propose to do, and incidentally to point out some of the mistakes of our opponents. We should not deny ourselves this opportunity, this desire to be epigrammatic."

As the suggested draft stands, it is at once a criticism of the Democratic management of foreign affairs and an unsatisfactory and a pronouncement in favor of the protection of the lives and property of American citizens at home and abroad.

Mexico Object of Attack. The Democratic direction of affairs in connection with Mexico will be attacked with special severity as totally inadequate to the demands of the situation, but no declaration for actual intervention in Mexico is contemplated now. An army and navy adequate to the protection of American interests will be advocated as the best means of preserving peace and protecting the national honor.

The tariff plank will include not only the usual Republican pronouncement in support of the principle of protection, but in addition there will be an assertion of the inadequacy of the present tariff law to meet revenue demands. It will be asserted that but for the stimulus of the war, business in the United States would have suffered many hardships as a result of the Underwood-Simmons law, while at the same time the treasury would have been continuously empty. Promise will be made of an immediate revision that will be to the advantage of the national treasury and of private business. A tariff commission will be demanded in the interest of the stability and equality of the tariff.

To Please Bull Moose. Much attention is to be given to features of the platform, which, it is believed, will appeal to the Progressive element and to the former members of the party who supported the candidacy of Col. Roosevelt four years ago. To this end, planks have been prepared covering most of the distinctive points of the Progressive platform four years ago. These do

Hughes Says That Flag Means "America First, an Undivided Allegiance"

WASHINGTON, June 6. JUSTICE CHARLES E. HUGHES, in his first public address since the opening of the pre-convention campaign, told the young women graduates of the Cathedral School, to whom he presented a flag yesterday, that the flag meant America first, an undivided allegiance and a nation united and equal to its tasks.

"This flag means more than association and reward," he said. "It is the symbol of our national unity, our national endeavor, of our national aspiration. It is the symbol of the struggle for independence, of union preserved, of liberty and union, one and inseparable, of the sacrifices of brave men and women to whom the ideals and honor of this nation have been dearer than life."

"It means America first, it means an undivided allegiance. It means America united, strong and efficient, equal to her tasks. It means that you cannot be saved by the valor and devotion of your ancestors; that the generation comes its patriotic duty; and that upon your willingness to sacrifice and endure as those before you have sacrificed and endured, rests the national hope."

It speaks of equal rights; of the inspiration of free institutions exemplified and vindicated; of liberty under law intelligently conceived and impartially administered. There is not a thread

in it but echoes self-indulgence, weakness and rapacity. It is eloquent of our common interests, outweighing all divergencies of opinion.

"Given as a prize to those who have the highest standing, it happily enforces the lesson that intelligence and zeal must go together; that discipline must accompany emotion, and that we must ultimately rely upon enlightenment of opinion."

The student who stands at the head of the class wins the right to the flag which has flown over the school grounds all year. Miss Catherine Hughes, daughter of the Justice, was a member of the graduating class, but she missed the coveted honor by a few points.

In beginning his address Justice Hughes told the graduates that the intellectual inheritance of the age counted only as it actually was possessed and used. He said it was a miserable spectacle to see the youth neglecting the lessons of science, the instruction of history, the resources of literature and art and leading a life small and impoverished, and the opportunity of the twentieth century.

Efforts today to draw a statement from Justice Hughes regarding his speech were unavailing. The Justice was not to be seen for a discussion of the subject. His secretary pointed out informally, as he did last night, that Mr. Hughes accepted the invitation to present a flag to the honor graduates several months ago and that he was not speaking for political purposes.

G. O. P. Leaders Hold Conferences With G. W. Perkins

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leader of the forces seeking the Republican nomination for Col. Roosevelt and at night there were conferences between Senator Lodge and Roosevelt adherents.

Lodge Close to Roosevelt. Probably no man was so close as Senator Lodge to Col. Roosevelt during the seven years he was in the White House. He always has been credited with extreme friendliness for the former President, even four years ago, when temporary chairman of the Resolutions Committee. He was elected a delegate at large with Senator Weeks, former Senator Crane and Gov. McCall on a ticket which was opposed by another ticket composed of Roosevelt men, including Representative Augustus P. Gardner, the Senator's son-in-law. The Lodge ticket was victorious and it was understood then that all the delegates at large elected were opposed to the demand for Roosevelt's nomination. It

proves true that in the convention '16 it proves true that Senator Lodge is prepared to go over to the Roosevelt forces. Estimates by Republican leaders give Roosevelt not more than 150 votes on the first ballot. Leaders say the convention cannot be stampeded for the Col. Roosevelt, but they admitted that if State like Massachusetts were to swing to him on the second or third ballot it might be embarrassing and significant, and at most keep the pot humming longer than they expect at the present time.

After the last Lodge-Perkins conference it was said that no definite proposal had been made from either faction and that only two names, Roosevelt and Hughes, were discussed. It was also said that the Roosevelt men had made a very strong showing regarding the possibility of Roosevelt's capturing the nomination. If he did this, a Republican nomination and had submitted figures to the Republican leaders to support their claims.

Some of the Republican leaders who talked with Perkins are convinced that no matter what the leaders would prefer to do the rank and file of the Progressive party is determined to nominate Roosevelt. They predict that this will be done before the Republican convention nominates and that if Republicans name Justice Hughes and he accepts there will again be three parties in the field. If Justice Hughes were to indicate after a nomination of Roosevelt by the Progressives that he will not take the Republican nomination the Progressives say there will be a possibility of getting together on another man.

Some of the Republicans feel that even with the Progressive nomination Mr. Roosevelt might be willing to declare support of Root. They point out that Roosevelt might so declare himself and decline to take the Progressive nomination. If he did this, they said, the Colonel would be in a position in 1920 to demand consideration from a reunited party.

According to these leaders a nomination of Hughes means three parties in the field and they feel that the Progressives will fight for Roosevelt to the last ditch.

A call that Charles D. Hilles, William B. McKinley and Senators Smoot and Oliver paid Perkins during the evening

did not include an endorsement of the recall, but they do embrace the subject of woman suffrage. It is the belief of the framers of these provisions that the declaration along Progressive lines should be so comprehensive and clear as to leave no ground for opposition on this issue. The advocates of the suffrage provision expect a fight, but say they have an equal chance to win.

Senator Lodge, it is conceded, will be chairman of the Resolutions Committee. He has filled this position in previous conventions.

led to reports that they urged the selection of a "dark horse" candidate. They had heard reports from Progressive sources that Col. Roosevelt had been eliminated and therefore it behooved the Progressives and Republicans to get together. This, it was said, precipitated a heated retort from Perkins. Hilles denied that he went for any other purpose than to pay their respects and said that no "dark horse" had been mentioned while he was present.

Perkins Declares Third Party Has No Second Choice

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for somebody, for something, and to build up. We haven't got it in for anybody or anything. We are out for a matchless man and an incomparable cause. Therefore we have no second choice. Go to it."

When Perkins was asked to amplify his statement with particular reference to having no second choice he said the statement spoke for itself and added, "It goes now or at any time." He said he could make no further comment.

Perkins denied a report current here that a telegram had been received from Col. Roosevelt urging that the Progressive convention nominate him for President. Perkins said no message of anything like that character had been received from Col. Roosevelt.

One correspondent told Perkins of the death of Lord Kitchener yesterday, and this served as a basis for Perkins to express his views as to the need of Col. Roosevelt for President.

This a "Little Local Puddle." "He has been tried out and his nomination here this week by these two conventions would carry a hope into every heart in every land that nothing could," said Perkins. "Are we going to miss this great opportunity to serve not only ourselves but the whole world?"

"I wish you would ask the people if they are not allowing this little local puddle in which we are splashing about here to obscure events of unprecedented magnitude and menace taking place in the world."

Another correspondent told Perkins of the death of the President of China and asked him if that event would call for any comment. At first Perkins replied that it would not, but then said: "We ought to be thankful that Roosevelt is not dead. If he were the President of China is cause for commotion, what would be the sensation if the news should be received here that Theodore Roosevelt was dead?"

GIRL IN DAZE REFUSES TO EAT

Miss Nellie McGinn, 2348 Knapp street, is held for observation in the city hospital on account of her refusal to eat. She was taken to the hospital last evening by a policeman, who found her in the entrance of the Pontiac Building, Seventh and Market street. A tube was forcibly inserted between her teeth by physicians at the hospital this morning and she was given nourishment. She stated she had been employed by a publicity company in the Pontiac Building for the past week but that yesterday she was told that her services were unsatisfactory and that she was discharged. She stood in the entrance to the building during the entire day, apparently in a daze and refused to talk to anyone.

Electrical Workers' Strike Ends. CHICAGO, July 6.—The strike of electrical workers employed by the Commonwealth Electric Co. came to an end today with the return to work of the last of the men who walked out three weeks ago to enforce demands for an increase of pay. The men have been granted a wage increase averaging between 40 and 50 cents a day.

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Only a Request From the Colonel Himself Will Change Present Plan.

JOHNSON ON TICKET

California Leader Is Again Slated to Be Candidate for the Vice Presidency.

CHICAGO, June 6.—The movement for a delay in the Progressive convention has been met by a decision of the leaders to have immediate action or at least not later than Thursday. Victor Murdock, Gifford Pinchot, Henry J. Allen of Kansas; Hiram Johnson and about thirty others at a conference late last night came to a decision that the convention should nominate Col. Roosevelt as soon as nominations could be reached in the regular order of business and that nothing less than a request for delay from Col. Roosevelt himself should interfere with that plan.

They agreed that if their program went through and the Colonel was nominated at once, Gov. Johnson would take the second place as he did four years ago. All of this is contingent, however, upon failure of the leaders of both parties to agree upon a compromise candidate.

The movement for the immediate nomination of Col. Roosevelt began to show itself early today. The Progressives opened headquarters in the Florsheim room of the Congress Hotel from which the Roosevelt fight was directed four years ago and before the delegates were at breakfast, Roosevelt boosters were abroad, cheering, shouting and stirring up demonstrations for the Colonel. This was part of the plan matured at recent conferences.

All the Progressive leaders were striving for harmony and possibly not the first. Col. William Hayward declared: "The nomination of Hughes is inevitable."

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OTHERS PUT TO THE FRONT

Cummins, Weeks and Sherman Men Active; Penrose to Vote for Knox at First.

CHICAGO, June 6.—The newly-formed Hughes committee, made up of perhaps a hundred delegates from a score of states, its expenses being met by popular subscription, will meet again today, when additional recruits to the standard of the jurist are expected. Several New England delegations, it is said to be planning a conference with Frank H. Hitchcock, with a view to joining the Hughes boom.

"I wish from my heart that all the states represented in this convention had done so," said the jurist, in a full delegation here instructed for Justice Hughes. "You have shown the entire country what should be done."

"The Hughes sentiment is here today, but I fear that it only faintly represents the sentiment that exists throughout the United States."

"The sentiment in New York is overwhelmingly for Justice Hughes."

Whitman Predicts Hughes' Election. "As one who desires to see the party unite on the best man, it is my opinion that Charles E. Hughes not only will be nominated, but also will be elected the next President of the United States."

Hitchcock said he stood for Justice Hughes because "he is a winner and is going to win."

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Republican Party, Leaderless, on Offensive Against Enemy, Holding a Strong Position

Many Good Men Are Available to Command the Hosts of the G. O. P., but the BIG Figure That Could March Them to Victory Is Not in Sight.

By Mary Roberts Rinehart, One of the Best Known Novelists and Short Story Writers in America. (Copyright, 1916, by Mary Roberts Rinehart.)

CHICAGO, June 6. ON the very threshold of our President-making now, and where we are to the outsider—in chaos, waging a political war in which the Democratic party is dug in intrenched, on the defensive and waiting. Its lines are formed. Its leader selected four years ago.

The Republican party is on the offensive. It must attack a position already held. It has its weapon, the tariff, military training, nationalism, and it will also avail itself of a weapon which does not belong to it alone, but of which just now it is availing itself largely—discontent with present conditions.

But the Democratic party is in building new defenses constantly. First-class defenses, of course, the firing trench is still under construction. This firing trench is the omnibus bill. Packed with weapons is the Democratic omnibus trench. First is the Rainey Tariff Commission, establishing a Tariff Commission of six members. That takes the tariff out of the hands of the Democrats. The omnibus trench also contains an anti-dumping bill. The Democratic party will refer to this gun as an evidence that the Democratic party does not propose to permit other nations to destroy our industries by ruinous competition. The trench contains another gun. Jefferson's position that a tariff to protect infant industries is permissible. This is an item which is to assist in establishing the dyestuffs industry in this country on a firm basis, by means of an additional import tax.

Let us drop the trench figure for a moment and state that the omnibus bill will provide also for the complete removal of this additional dyestuffs tax within a period of five years, thus maintaining the Democratic position that infant industries must grow up. To go back to the trench again, it will be seen that the Democratic party has stolen much of the enemy ammunition and will fire it at the Republicans.

Emergency Revenue Measures. Then there is the matter of revenue. The Democratic emergency revenue measures will be limited to an increased tax on higher incomes, and the Democrats say they will get \$100,000,000 a year new revenue from that. That is a popular weapon, and one we all understand and like. Only the man with an income over \$100,000 a year will suffer and he is rooting like the mischief for the other side.

And while we are on this subject of revenue, the Democratic party claims it will have plenty of revenue for all new demands. Our present prosperity in trade extension in South America, the Trade Commission bill, the Alaska bill, the labor measure and the shipping bill, these are all Democratic weapons.

Strangely enough, they are Republican weapons also. They are, indeed, national and not party measures. The Republicans will not repeat them if they get into power. Even so, the question is one of degree. "On our international relations, the matter at issue is methods, not results. The country does not want war. It is a question as to which party can most honorably keep us out of war, or best prepare us for it in case it becomes inevitable."

Attackers Are Divided. So here we are, lined up in two great armies, one on the defensive, the other preparing to attack. And the attacking side is divided. There is, as yet, no union between the Progressives and the Republicans. They are against a common enemy, but the breach of 1912 is not yet healed.

Facing a political crisis and fearing an international one, over parties closer together on purely internal questions than they have ever been before, the vital matter is to secure the right man to lead us. Even so, if we do it, where is he? Who will come forth and stand for us before the world? Who is there in all America big enough to represent us before the nations without party, for what are parties today but machinery, and much of it obsolete and clogged machinery? Is there any one today who believes that it matters whether the man who represents us is Democrat or Republican? Political heresy, but good common sense.

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The nation was introspective, homely content. To day there is a change in us. And also our neighbors have changed. They hate the fact that after our Jeffersonian simplicity, we have built a bathroom and a porte cochere and ordered a grand piano. They would be quite equal to setting fire to the place, especially since they know we have no insurance.

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Since strong men are silent, silent men must be strong. The popularity of Mr. Hughes is one of the inexplicable features of this campaign. Not that Mr. Hughes is without achievement. Yet nothing that he has done can justify the confidence of the people that he is the great man we need. Physically it can be explained.

It is a difference of opinion that makes enemies. A man who offers no opinions makes no enemies. But it is deeper than that. Mr. Hughes' own resistance is his greatest political asset. He has long have we seen men struggling for our highest honor that it is rare that the office is allowed to seek the man, the fact itself inspires confidence.

Doubt As to Hughes. But there remains in the mind of the outsider a doubt whether the legal mind, analytic rather than constructive, is the mind of the leader we need.

For Mr. Root there is much to say that is good. Against him is the natural conservatism of age. By the accident of a great speech in favor of Theodore Roosevelt, Mr. Root has himself become a candidate. A good candidate save in the one regard of years. An unimpeachable American, his assent before the New York Republican convention was a statesmanly one, in which he embodied all his principles and his political faith.

For some of the outsider heard many rumors of Gen. Leonard Wood. There is less being said now. Is he the dark horse of the Republican party? Or is it Philander Knox, one time Secretary of State under Roosevelt? Or is it to be Senator Weeks? Or is it not to be a dark horse at all? Is the wave in favor of Theodore Roosevelt a weak, two weeks, too late or not? We have had military presidents and have not as a result become obsessed by the military ideal. American for Gen. Wood it may be said that he is much more than a soldier. He is an executive. Cuba is a monument to him. It might be said also that, since the President is the head of the army, it would not be a bad idea to have someone as President who knows something of armies.

Of Theodore Roosevelt I have already written. Sentiment and enthusiasm for him are growing hourly. But the Republicans find it hard to forgive him for the fact that, by his "bolt" of 1912, he put the Democrats into power.

Great American for he is undoubtedly. One who today has cast political expediency to the winds in his desire to arouse America and American spirit. Sturdy and brave, vital with the vitality of a vigorous mind and the great outdoors, to the outsider he comes near the ideal than any of the others.

WEEKS AND THEN
FAIRBANKS THE
MISSOURI SLATE

John Schmoll and Jacob Babler
Lining Up Delegates for
Indianan.

C. P. Taft Said to Be
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Special to the Post-Dispatch.
CHICAGO, June 6.—There has been much speculation as to where the money had been coming from to finance the Hughes campaign. The Missourians who have been trying to solve the mystery of the Hughes money reported today that they had been informed that Charles P. Taft, brother of the former President, had been furnishing the money to finance the Hughes campaign to avenge himself against Roosevelt for causing the defeat of his brother for re-election four years ago.

By GEORGE W. EADS.
A Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

CHICAGO, June 6.—Having tightened their lines in the State delegation, the old guard leaders asserted today that they had 187 of the 302 delegates to the Republican National Convention, which opens here tomorrow, pledged absolutely to an anti-Hughes and anti-Roosevelt program.

A member of the inner circle of the old guard machine said to the Post-Dispatch correspondent today that the Roosevelt and Hughes forces had not been able to rock the boat anywhere. Neither the old guard leaders nor the Progressives would reveal today what transpired last night at the conference between Chairman Hill of the Republican National Committee, Senator Lodge, of Massachusetts and others representing the Republican party, and George W. Perkins, representing the Roosevelt interests. It was reported that Perkins told them that neither Root, Fairbanks nor Burton would be satisfactory to the Progressives.

What is happening in the Missouri delegation is an index to what is going on in all the State delegations. Every man on the Missouri delegation regarded as likely to vote either for Hughes or Roosevelt has been brought into conferences with other State leaders and urged to vote against them. Reports reached the Missouri leaders that William C. Houston of Kansas City, negro alternate to former Gov. Hadley, who was going to vote for Roosevelt, had been closeted for an hour with Houston. At the end of the conference it was announced that Houston was all right, and would vote with the majority of the delegation.

Six Missouri Hughes Men.
Ralph Stauber of St. Joseph had announced his intention of voting for Hughes. Charles D. Morris of St. Joseph, Republican candidate for Governor, was informed by the State leaders that unless he voted for Hughes, he might as well withdraw as a candidate for Governor. There are said to be six Hughes men on the Missouri delegation, and the leaders are using every possible means in their power to bring them into the old guard organization for Fairbanks, or the candidate to be finally agreed upon to be nominated.

This movement in Missouri is a part of the general plan that is being carried out among the State delegations, nearly all of which are now in Chicago.

There is still no evidence that the Republicans and Progressives are anywhere near an agreement on a candidate. The speech of Justice Hughes in Washington yesterday, which was regarded by some as an expression of his ideas on preparedness and Americanism, appears to have satisfied nobody, especially the Progressives. With the opening of the two conventions only a few days away, the leaders frankly admit that they have found no solution of the great problem that is confronting them, that of uniting the two bodies.

The decisive victory of the Democratic judicial ticket in the Chicago election yesterday was a severe jolt to the old guard leaders who have been insisting that they could ignore Roosevelt, and still have a chance to win.

The Progressive leaders believe the result of the election will increase Roosevelt's chances of being nominated by the Republicans. But a great number of the Republican delegates are so embittered against Roosevelt that they would rather lose than to win with him.

McKinley for Root.
John C. McKinley, one of the Missouri delegates-at-large, said today that he was personally for Root, but that he might vote for Hughes, because he believed the majority of the voters in his section of the State, the Northwest, were favorable to Hughes. He said he had received letters from every section of the State, since his election as a delegate-at-large, stating that large numbers of regular Republicans would vote for Wilson if Roosevelt should be nominated by the Republicans.

John Schmoll, chairman of the Republican City Committee of St. Louis, has come out for Fairbanks. Jacob L. Babler, the new national committeeman is making an active fight for Fairbanks and says as soon as Weeks drops out of the contest, at least 20 of the 26 Missouri delegates will support the Indiana candidate.

Schmoll said that neither Root, Hughes nor Roosevelt could carry St. Louis against Wilson, but that he believed Fairbanks was the one candidate in the

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Written Especially for the Post-Dispatch.

CHICAGO, June 6.—There has been a great deal of talk here in both camps about platform, what the planks should be, how strong they should be, etc. In my judgment the platform planks this year are of minor importance. In approaching the platform question it seems to me all important that both the Republicans and the Progressives should keep three things clearly in mind:

First—That there is a Democratic Congress in session waiting to grab the platform that is written here, whatever it may be, and enact it into legislation before they adjourn and in this way destroy whatever value there might be to platform declarations.

Impossible to Make Forecast.
Second—It is a long way to November, and things that might seem vital now might be obsolete by then.

Third—There has never been a time in the history of the United States when it was utterly impossible for any group of human beings to forecast the future by even a day, to say nothing of four years, as at the present moment. All we know is that this great European war is going to bring about mighty changes in the social, industrial and political relations heretofore existing between this country and other nations, but what the nature of these changes is going to be we do not as yet know. These questions are going to be the great all-important questions confronting the next administration. To attempt to do any more than broadly touch on them for four years ago impossible and fraught with danger.

The simple fact of the matter is that the platform in this convention must be the man nominated in the convention. And because it is impossible to forecast the future, this makes it more important than ever before in our history that we select a man of tried ability and unquestioned Americanism—a man who, by his record of the past, offers the best possible guarantee for his action in the future; a man who has been accustomed to meet unexpected emergencies and handle them in a diplomatic, dignified and satisfactory manner to the interests of this country.

"Man's Record Best Platform."
Someone told me only a short time ago that Lincoln once said that in case of a platform a man's past record is the best possible platform. Certainly every thoughtful man will agree with me that you cannot at this time write a platform that will even approximately meet the unforeseen events that we are certain will crowd upon us for solution in the next four years.

Therefore, to my mind, the question of platform planks to be adopted here this week is of far less importance than it ever was before in a national convention.

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There is another phase of this platform question not to be overlooked, and it is that the country and the voters are sick and tired of broken platform pledges. Mr. Wilson is today about to be renominated by the Democratic party, who, if they tell the truth, must start their platform declarations with a statement that they point with pride to the fact that he has broken every plank in the platform on which he was elected four years ago.

This makes it all the more important that action of these two conventions here this week, if possible, be carried out with such discretion and wisdom as to result in the selection of a man who in himself will be the embodiment of Americanism as it is to be interpreted in action during the next four years.

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BURTON AND HIS SONG

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By CLARE MCADAMS
("JUST A MINUTE")

A Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

CHICAGO, June 6.—It looks as if they had Col. Roosevelt in the Elmer Burkett. His adherents say that the mist pervading the party mind will be dissipated by reason in a couple of days and he will sink everything, but that is not the impression one gets on the scene. What Bismarck would call the imponderabilia is all ager, and against him, and against him, Perkins comes up with the super-dreadnoughts of Wall street pretty hurriedly he will find nothing afloat but a wrecked mass of bent spectacles and burned teeth. There is some indication, too, that low visibility has done for the boom of Justice Hughes. The houses can't see him against the shore line of his ominous record as a reformer, and it takes a whooping Hughes delegate about one turn through the Congress Hotel to simmer down to a foolish grin. One such asked me what I thought was the matter, and I told him it looked to me as if the sinking Colonel had gotten his arm around the Justice's neck.

Naturally, this has given all favorite sons hope. They were darning around today like a lot of goldfish in a tub of Apollinaris. The Sherman people are convinced that it all depends upon the exact degree in which their candidate resembles Abraham Lincoln. The Burton people are going from one hotel lobby to another, singing, to the old college tune of "Bingo":
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HUGHES' SPEECH ON FLAG
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Decided That Expression of Patriotism by Justice Will Have Little Bearing on Present Contest.

CHICAGO, June 6.—The Progressives had more to say today about Justice Hughes' speech than did the Hughes men themselves.

"I do not care to interpret Justice Hughes' speech," said Frank H. Hitchcock. "It speaks for itself; it is a fine expression of patriotism. If I were the manager of a candidate's campaign I might have much to say."

Progressive leaders, after carefully studying the speech, professed to attach little significance to it as affecting the political fortunes of Col. Roosevelt.

"It was a nice flag speech, eminently proper for delivery before a girls' seminary, but does not further outline Mr. Hughes' position on the vital issues before these conventions," said Chester Rowell, California Progressive.

Chairman Murdock of the Progressive National Committee endorsed Rowell's sentiments.

Last year the Post-Dispatch printed \$374 Male Help Wanted Ads. Just 11,000 more than its nearest competitor.

REPUBLICANS SELECT NATIONAL
AND RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEES

Jacob A. Babler and Berryman Henwood Chosen for Missouri Places.

CHICAGO, June 6.—Republican state delegations in caucus today announced the selection of the following members of the National Committee and the Convention Committee on Resolutions, in each instance of two names the committeemen being given first:

Alabama, Committeemen C. D. Street, Arkansas, H. L. Remmel and John I. Worthington; California, W. H. Crocker and J. G. Mott; Connecticut, resolutions, Charles Hopkins Clark; Massachusetts, W. Murray Crane and Henry Cabot Lodge; Minnesota, resolutions, George H. Sullivan; Mississippi, L. B. Mosley and L. B. Redmond; Missouri, New Hampshire, committeemen, F. W. Latabrook; New Jersey, Franklin Murphy and Hamilton Kean; North Carolina, committeemen, John M. Morehead; North Dakota, Gunder Olson and J. F. Paulson; Washington, E. A. Perkins and E. C. Hughes; Wyoming, George E. Pexton and Dwight Hollister; Kansas, Fred Stanley and Charles F. Scott; Texas, H. F. MacGregor and Eugene Marshall; Indiana, James A. Hemenway and Fred A. Sims; New Hampshire, resolutions, George H. Moser.

T. R. SAID TO BE FOR WOOD
AS A UNITY NOMINEE

Visitors Quote Colonel as Declaring He Would Welcome Choice of "Water General."

OSTER BAY, N. Y., June 6.—The nomination of Gen. Leonard Wood for the presidency would be "acceptable" to Col. Theodore Roosevelt as a solution of the situation at Chicago, according to two visitors who called upon the former President today. They asserted that Col. Roosevelt told them that while he was "neither for nor against any candidate," that Gen. Wood "would be the most acceptable to him," and that he would "throw his hat in the ring and go out and work for him," "as a candidate," who was "thoroughly United States" and "whose election would mean the return of the true spirit of Americanism."

George B. Cortelyou, Roosevelt's campaign manager in 1904, conferred with the Colonel for two hours yesterday. After the conference Cortelyou departed for New York on his way to Chicago, where, it is understood, he will take a leading part in directing the Colonel's boom.

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HATS

Featuring Many Beautiful Models in White and Black for Summer Wear

A wonderful showing of the transparent, "lacey" Hats that are to be so much in vogue for the warm season. Nothing could be daintier or cooler than these "Summery" creations, and they harmonize so prettily with the new Summer dresses that they are particularly desirable. At three prices,

\$7.50 \$10 \$12.50

(Second Floor.)

Hear the
Victor
Records
for June

Secure Tickets Here for
The Shakespearean Pageant, "As
You Like It," this week.
"Starlight," Wagner's musical
drama, June 13.
Press Club Frette, Delmar Garden,
June 14.
(Public Service Bureau, Main Fl.)

SPECIALS

On the Bargain Squares

Undermuslins at
A SPLENDID group of
Nightgowns, Drawers 39c
and Petticoats of cambric and nain-
sok, lace and embroidery trimmed
—only one or two of a style. Actual
50c values.
(Sixth Street Highway—Main Fl.)

Linen Laces, Yd.
FINE quality, woven in a
great variety of most ef-
fective designs—Edges and inser-
tions—many of them in matched
sets, in graduating widths up to 2 1/2
inches. Usually priced 15c and 25c,
and even more.
(Square 11—Main Floor.)

White Petticoats
ABOUT twenty dozen in 98c
this lot—fine cambric
top, deep flounces of eyelet embroi-
dery, in extra and regular sizes—\$1.50
grade.
(Square 7—Main Floor.)

50c Sport Skirting
WHITE grounds with neat
colored stripes—all the
newest patterns. 35 inches wide.
(Square 15—Main Floor.)

35c Fancy Voiles
EXTRA quality, neat fan-
cy woven stripes, 36 in.
wide.
(Square 5—Main Floor.)

Stamped Corset Covers
OF good quality longcloth,
in neat designs for French
eyelet embroidery. Just a limited
quantity. Only two to a customer.
(Escalator Square—Main Floor.)

Nickel Casseroles
FINE nickel-plated
frames, round or oval
shapes, with fireproof insets. A
splendid gift for the June bride.
Very special value.
(Square 2—Main Floor.)

50c Bath Towels
ABOUT one hundred dozen
fine bleached Bath Tow-
els, made of two-ply Terry cloth—
neat colored borders. Large sizes.
(Square 16—Main Floor.)

\$2.00 to \$3.00 Corsets
A SAMPLE lot of \$1.65
fine Corsets in a
variety of styles in batiste and
cotton, all guaranteed rustproof
boning, lace and embroidery
trimmed, 3 pairs strong sup-
porters, in models for all figures.
(Second Floor.)

Stepladders
WITH shelf for bucket, strong-
ly built.
5-ft. size, special, 53c
6-ft. size, special, 65c
(Fifth Floor.)

\$35 to \$40 Sewing
Machines, \$26.65
IN this lot are such well-
known makes as White
Rotary, Singer No. 66, Dom-
estic, New Willard and
Wheeler & Wilson.
Some are new, some sam-
ples, and some slightly used,
but all guaranteed in perfect
working condition, and accom-
panied by a complete set of
attachments.
These are offered on our
Club Plan of
\$1.00 Per Week
(Fifth Floor.)

Axminster Rugs
\$25 and \$29.50 Grades, \$21.50
9x12-ft. size, in seamed and seamless
styles, beautiful Persian designs.
9x12-Ft. Brussels Rugs, \$16.50
Seamless style, in pleasing assortment of
beautiful colorings.

\$42.50 Royal Wilton Rugs, \$37.50
9x12-ft. size; seamed or seamless; in
handsome designs and colorings.
\$18.75 Scotch Art Rugs, \$15.75
For bedrooms and bungalows, in blue,
rose, brown, green and gray.
\$1 and \$1.25 Inlaid Linoleums,
85c Square Yard
Extra heavy, wide, in tile, block and
hardwood designs.
(Fourth Floor.)

Summer Draperies
POPULAR new Curtainings in de-
lightful colorings and designs.
Swiss Curtains, \$1.65 Pair
Dotted Swiss, with hemstitched effects
and embroidered edge.
Imported Madras Curtains, \$1.50 Pair
In cream ground, very new designs; full
width and length.
Novelty Net Curtains,
\$2.25 Pair
Colonial and Fillet Novelty Cur-
tainings, allover designs, with picot
edging. For living, dining and bed-
rooms. White and beige color.
Porch Seats, 39c and 50c
Some cretonne covered, with cotton filling
—others of Japanese making; oval shape;
moss filled.
(Fourth Floor.)

Folding Lawn
Settees, 89c
MADE of select maple
stock—fold to four-
inch thickness. In either
natural or green finish.
(Sixth Floor.)

White and Wash Goods
25c Middy Cloth, 12 1/2c
36 inches wide, light-weight
twill, for suits, skirts, etc.
\$3.50 Bedspreads, \$1.98
Satin Marseilles Spreads,
heavy quality, twin bed size
(72x100 inches), all-white.
Pequot and Utica Mills
Sheets and Pillowcases
These are noted for being
the best wearing and washable
Sheets obtainable. The prices
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perfect:
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75c Bleached Sheets, 55c
Readymade—seamless—81x
90 inches.
Mercerized Poplins, 19c
36 inches wide, solid brown
and tan shades. Slight "sec-
onds" of 50c grade.
7 1/2c Crash Towelings, 5c
Dixie Crash Toweling,
bleached, fast red border.
3000 Special
32-inch, light weight,
woven striped
Tissue Gingham
Regular 15c grade,
7 1/2c Yard
(Downstairs Store.)

White and Wash Goods
Sale of Men's Shirts
75c and \$1.00 Grades
All Sizes, 14 to 17
55c
3 for \$1.50
EMBRACING soft
and laundered
styles, plain and
plaid—bosoms of
fine quality French
percale, madras, pon-
gee and rep fabrics
in a variety of neat
patterns—soft and
laundered cuffs—all
perfect fitting.
(Downstairs Store and
Square 1, Main Floor.)

Stix Baer & Fuller June Sales

Baseball
Tickets—
Men's
Store

Wednesday Will Be "Petticoat" Day

in the Great June Sale. Provisions have been made to supply every requirement. We have assembled a great variety of the most desired styles in Petticoats of every description—all of which are offered at very attractive prices.



Special—
Short Skirts, of cam-
bric, with scalloped
ruffle. Limited quan-
tity Wednesday at 25c

**Muslin and Saten Pet-
ticoats**, with double panel
front, scalloped ruffle or
embroidered spray and
scalloped edge, at \$1

**Crepe de Chine and
Wash Satin Petticoats**
—dainty lace flounce
or deep tucked ruf-
fle, \$3.98

**Extra-Size Habutai
Silk Petticoats**—dou-
ble panel front, deep
flounce, silk
underlay, \$5

Petticoats with flounce of
combination lace and embroi-
dery, or organdie ruffles fin-
ished with lace edge, \$2.98

Habutai Petticoats with
double panel front and deep
scalloped ruffle, at \$1.98
Also in extra and regular
sizes at \$2.98

**Petticoats in many different
styles**, with full flaring
flounce, lace, embroidery and
beading trimmed, at \$1.98
(Second Floor.)

June Sale Laces & Embroideries

"WHAT beautiful Embroideries these are, and how reason-
ably priced." There are mountains of dainty sheer
fabrics that will be quickly purchased as soon as they are seen.
The following are a few of the many noteworthy values.

Embroideries at 39c
Less than half of their
actual value are these Voile,
Organdie, Marquisette and
Batiste Flouncings, in 18, 27
and 45-inch widths. Also in-
cluded are 22-inch Voile All-
overs. A most pleasing array
of new designs are shown.

Val. Laces, 39c and 49c
Dozen Yards
German and French Vale-
ciennes Edges and Insertions
—many in matched sets.
Widths up to 1 inch.
(Main Floor.)

**Philippine Hand-Embroid-
ery, 10c Yard**
Sample lengths of fine
quality. Edges—mostly in
plain scalloped or in small em-
broidered floral effects.
Widths up to 4 inches. Lengths
of 2 to 4 1/2 yards. Material
worth 35c yard.

75c and \$1.00 Allovers,
50c Yard
Very fine Voiles, embroi-
dered in small floral effects.
Ideal for Summer blouses.
(Main Floor.)

June Notion Sale

A HELPFUL occasion with the hundreds of little sewing need-
fuls priced at noteworthy savings.

Beltings, Bonings, Etc.
Warren's X-Ray Braid, for
flaring skirts, white and
black, 10c, 15c and 18c yd.
Cable Boning, white and
black, 5c and 10c yd.
Featherboning, black and
white, 50c doz. yds. or 5c yd.

**Warren's Peraline Girde-
lins**, 2 to 2 1/2 inch widths,
black and white, at 10c yd.
Royal Boned Belting, regu-
larly 10c yd., at 3c yd.

Threads, Crochet Cottons,
White Basting Cotton, 200
yds. 10c doz., or 3 spools, 5c
Silkene Crochet Cotton, all
colors, 3 balls, 25c
Hoesel 50-yd. Spool Silk,
4 spools, 5c

**Sanitary Goods and
Supporters**
Three-away Paper Diapers,
25 in package, at 15c
Elastic Sanitary Belts, 15c
10c Sanitary Aprons, 15c
Rubber Sheeting for in-
fant's cribs, 10c
Self-Fastening Waist Sup-
porters, 10c ea.

**Children's Pin-on Hose
Supporters, special, 10c pr.**
Pins, Needles, Etc.
Millard's Millinery Needles—
paper, 10c doz., 10c pr.
English Wire Hairpins, 3c
papers, 5c

Lox Safety Pins, 3 sizes,
doz to card, 5c
Clinton Safety Pins, white,
all sizes, 10c
Other Specials
Human Hair Nets, 10c ea., or 3 for 20c
Machine Oil, regularly 10c
a bottle, 25c
25c Naid Dress Shields,
sizes 2 and 3, pair, 15c
24-Yard Cotton Tape, 10c
Samson Pins, 3 papers
for 5c

**Decker's Knit-
ting Cotton**, special price
3 balls, 10c
ball, 4c

**John J. Clark's
Sewing Cotton**, 8-cord, all
numbers from 40 to 80, white
and black, 5 spools for 11c

Cotton Belting,
black & white,
widths from 1 1/2
to 3 inches,
very special at
yard, 5c

**English Totted
Tape**, 10-yd.
bolts, specially
priced at
bolt, 7c

**Ideal Black
Darning Cotton**,
offered Wed-
nesday at
4 balls 5c

**Gotham Tango
Girdles**, for
dancing, swim-
ming and all
other outdoor
sports, sizes 22
to 36, in pink
or white. Spe-
cial at 58c

**Coat's Chain
Brand Spool
Cotton**, all
numbers, in
white, 40 to 80.
Priced at 25c
dozen spools, or
3 spools 5c

**Defiance Safety
Pins**, in assort-
ment, also at
Wednesday's
sale price.

**Feet's Hooks
and Eyes**, white
and black, all
sizes. Special
at 10c, 5c

**Cotton Cable
Cord**, white or
black, very spe-
cial at 10c yd., 1c

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ware Sale.**

**\$13.50 English Semi-
Porcelain 112-piece Din-
ner Sets**, blue onion de-
sign, at \$10.50
\$5.00 43-Piece Blue
Onion Set, \$3.49
(Fifth Floor.)

New Robes of Golfine

\$4.95

Just received from
the East a number of
these dainty, luxurious
robes in the semi-fitting
style—the new wide-
welt materials, lined
with Jap silk, trimmed
with large shawl collar.
Come in light blue,
pink, lavender, old rose,
purple, Copenhagen and
American beauty.
(Second Floor.)



\$11.75 Combination
Dinner and
Cooking Set
Special, \$9.50

THE Dinner Set is of
American semi-por-
celain—100 pieces, in neat
pink and green rose spray
design, with Bread and
Butter Plates.

THE Cooking Set is of
Guernsey's fireproof ware,
white lined, and includes
3-pint Casserole, 1-quart
Bean Pot, two 3-pint
Bowls, two 1-quart Bowls
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**Active Interest Is Being Shown in the
June Cut Glass Sale**

Flower Vases—12-inch size, in
pretty floral designs cut on cy-
linder shape blank. \$4.00 value
for \$2.50

Special—Salad Bowls—eight-
inch, cut in miter and floral de-
signs as illustrated. \$3 and \$4
values, \$1.98
(Fifth Floor and Sixth St. Highway—Main Floor.)

Sugar and Cream Sets—Medi-
um size, cut in deep miter de-
signs. \$4.00 value for \$2.98

Water Sets—Eight pieces, com-
prising three-pint Pitcher, cut in
floral designs—six Glasses to
match and 12-inch beveled Mirror
Plateau. Worth \$7.50, for \$4.98
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JAUNTY SPORT COATS

Newest Styles and Materials
\$16.50 to \$24.75 Grades
\$12.50



THE vogue for jaunty little
Coats for sport wear is on
the increase—all the more reason
why you should grasp this oppor-
tunity. These are the ideal gar-
ments that you require for the
various June open-air productions
and for so many other occasions.
In taffetas, pongees, striped
tussahs, Guernsey cloths, plain
and striped silk jersey and plaid
and novelty materials.
Just one hundred and fifty for
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(Third Floor.)

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7 1/2c Yard
(Downstairs Store.)

White and Wash Goods
25c Middy Cloth, 12 1/2c
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VON PAPAN IN HOLLAND ON "SECRET INFORMATION SERVICE"

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GREETED WITH CHEERS

Asserts That Country Will Make Progress in Its Fight Against Hunger.

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"Another of their calculations was sharply corrected by our young navy last week. This is very well made up. We know that it does not mean that England is beaten. But it is a token of our future wherein Germany will win, for herself and also for smaller peoples, full equality of rights and lasting freedom of sea routes now closed by England's sole domination."

"Six months ago, on Dec. 9," the Chancellor said, "discussing our military situation, I spoke here for the first time of our readiness for peace. I could do so in entire confidence that our war situation would continue to improve. Developments have confirmed this confidence. We have made further progress on all fronts. We are stronger than we were before."

"If, with this development before my eyes, I declared that we were ready for peace, I need not regret my statement, even if it offered no response from our enemies."

"I recently told an American Journalist (Karl H. von Wiegand, a staff correspondent of the Post-Dispatch and the New York World,) how peace negotiations could only reach a settlement if they were conducted by statesmen of the intelligent Powers on the basis of a real war situation as shown by the war map."

Proposition Rejected.

"This proposition was rejected by the other side. They will not recognize the war map, as they hope to improve it in their own favor."

"But it has certainly changed in our favor. We have added to it since that remark was made."

"The surrender of the British army at Kut-el-Amara, defeats, with tremendous losses of the French at Verdun, the collapse of the Russian offensive in March, the mighty thrust forward of our armies against Italy, the strengthening of our lines before Saloniki and just now we have received news of the naval battle off Jutland with jubilant and grateful hearts."

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Girl Has Young Man Arrested.
Vincent Hogan, 20 years old, of 2823 Botanical avenue, was arrested last night at the request of Miss Ethel Snerly of 2748 Washington

boulevard, a deaf mute, who, with pad and pencil, informed the police that Hogan had refused to return a ring which she loaned to him two weeks ago. Hogan denied the charge.

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All Sizes
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Patent Bar Strap
Patent "Mary Jane"
White "Mary Jane"

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NATURAL FINISHED
SOLES)

In every respect the prettiest Children's footwear shown this season—every pair built over comfort fitting lasts and sold with our usual guarantee of giving good service—an excellent opportunity to fill your footwear needs for the youngsters for all Summer. Remember, they come in all sizes, from the littlest tot to the largest girl—\$1.75 and \$2.00 values—at.....

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WHITE PUMPS

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PEGGY PUMPS
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STRAP PUMPS

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All come of the finest grade of white canvas—also one white kid model—with covered wooden Louis heels and hand-turned soles—choice of short, medium or long last effects—1800 pairs—22 styles—all sizes from 2 to 8—widths A to E—genuine \$3 and \$3.50 values, at

\$2.45

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Broadway and Washington Ave. Nugent's
Broadway, 3801 South.....Chippewa Bank.
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Florissant Ave., 7601.....J. W. Peeler Drug Co.
Grand Ave. and Olive St. Grand Avenue Bank.
Gavois Ave., 5236.....Goldman Dry Goods Co.
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MRS. HUDSON TESTIFIES IT WAS NOT GRAVES WHO STRUCK HER

Webster Groves Woman, Assaulted Coming From Church, Says Smaller Man Hit Her.

David Graves, 21 years old, of 5362A Patton avenue, charged with attacking Mrs. Hudson, of Lake and Summit avenues, Webster Groves, as she was returning home from church the night of Jan. 26 last, took the stand today at his trial on a charge of assault to kill.

Mrs. Hudson was knocked unconscious with a blow on the head and for several weeks was under treatment in a St. Louis hospital.

On the witness stand Mrs. Hudson was a disappointing witness for the State. She caused surprise by saying she felt sure it was not Graves, but a smaller man who struck her.

Diamond Rings, Pay \$1 a Week. Loftis Bros. & Co., 24 N. 3rd St.

Negroes Attack Grocer.

Ellis Fred, a grocer at 105 South Twenty-second street, was closing his store at 8 o'clock last night when two negroes entered. They dragged him to an alley across the street from the store where they robbed him of \$18. Two suspects were arrested.

If Too Fat Get More Fresh Air

BE MODERATE IN YOUR DIET AND REDUCE YOUR WEIGHT. TAKE OIL OF KOREIN.

Lack of fresh air, it is said, weakens the oxygen-carrying power of the blood, the liver becomes sluggish, fat accumulates and the action of many of the vital organs are hindered thereby. The heart action becomes weak, work is an effort and the beauty of the figure is destroyed. Fat put on by indoor life is unhealthy, and if nature is not assisted in throwing it off, a serious case of obesity may result.

When you feel that you are getting too stout, take the matter in hand at once. Don't wait until your figure has become a joke and your health ruined through carrying around a burden of unsightly and unhealthy fat.

Spend as much time as you possibly can in the open air, breathe deeply, and get from Wolf-Wilson Drug Co. or any druggist a box of oil of korein capsules, take one after each meal and one before retiring at night.

Watch yourself every few days and keep up the treatment until you are down to normal. Oil of korein is absolutely harmless, is pleasant to take, helps the digestion, and even a few days' treatment has been reported to show a noticeable reduction in weight.

Throw away your unsanitary eye-dropper. Don't take chances with your eyes—use

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Eye Wash

Quick relief from soreness, irritation and inflammation—soothes the mucous membranes.

Ask your druggist for EYE-MO—the one-drop-at-a-time patented bottle—no waste. Frederick Stearns & Co., Detroit, U.S.A.



SUFFRAGISTS MAKE FORMAL APPEAL TO G. O. P. FOR VOTE

Statement to Be Presented to the Resolutions Committee of the Convention.

CHICAGO, June 6.—The National Woman Suffrage Assembly, held under the auspices of the National Woman Suffrage Association, in session here today, adopted a statement which is to be presented to the Resolutions Committee of the Republican national convention at the conclusion of the parade of suffragists tomorrow. The statement, embossed on velum and carried in the parade by women from all parts of the country, is in part as follows:

"We women, from every state, gathered in national assembly, June 6, 1916, come to you in the name of justice, liberty and equality, to ask you to incorporate in your platform a declaration favoring the extension of suffrage to the only remaining class of unfranchised citizens—the women of our nation."

Suffrage and Patriotism.
"We make this request in behalf of millions of women who not only earnestly desire the vote, but who believe that the perpetuity of our national ideals, our patriotism and our Americanism positively demand that women assume the responsibility of full citizenship."

"We are not asking your indorsement of an untried theory, but your recognition of a fact. The men of 12 states and Alaska have already fully enfranchised their women, and Illinois has granted a large degree of suffrage, including the presidential vote."

"We therefore urge you to give the protecting power and the prestige of your great party platform to the final struggle of women for political liberty."

Expedient's party, we consider the expediency of such a course, since the women of seven states—Oregon, Arizona, Montana, Nevada, Kansas, Illinois and Iowa have gained the vote since 1912 and these women voters have their party affiliations yet to make.

"It must be understood by all that the women of every State are enfranchised. With party help or without it we shall win. We believe that party to be far seeing which befriends our cause."

A similar plank, except that it will specifically seek to pledge the convention to support the Susan B. Anthony amendment, will be presented by the National Woman's party, which was formed at a meeting of the Congressional Union for Woman's Suffrage last night. The two bodies of suffragists are meeting separately, but both will march in tomorrow's parade.

GIRL SHOT IN SALOON WHERE PROPRIETOR WAS KILLED, DIES

Madison (Ill.) Authorities Trying to Determine if Shooting Was Holdup or Row in the Place.

Miss Mayme Mellen, 20 years old, of 1726 South Ninth street, died in a Granite City hospital yesterday of a wound she received when she was shot in Tina Oluski's saloon in Madison early yesterday morning. Oluski was shot to death and three men customers were seriously wounded.

The Mellen girl and Oluski's wife told the police two masked men entered the saloon and opened fire with revolvers. The Madison police are trying to determine whether the shooting resulted from an attempted hold-up or from a quarrel which started among those in the saloon.

Policemen who inspected the saloon yesterday found 11 bullets buried in woodwork and furniture. Bullet holes in the windows, in addition to these, indicated that more than 20 shots had been fired.

Y. W. H. A. GETS \$2000 IN DAY

Headquarters for \$100,000 Campaign Opened to Receive Reports.

The Young Men's Hebrew Association has opened temporary campaign headquarters at Seventh and Washington avenues, where the captains of the fifty-six teams will report every day between 12:00 and 2:00 o'clock, and after 5:30 in the evening. The headquarters are under the direct charge of Sidney Strauss, executive secretary, and the Building and Finance Committee—Aaron Waldheim, chairman; Col. Moses Shoenberg, treasurer; Aaron Fuller, Walter L. Freund, president of the Y. M. H. A.; Morton J. May, David Somers, Ben Harris, L. J. Cohen, Edward H. Wolff, T. L. Rubinstein, and Emil Mayer.

The first day of the campaign—yesterday—was a successful one. A half day, the various teams raised \$2000. The total subscriptions now amount to \$52,604. The captains of the teams expect to obtain the remaining \$48,000 by Saturday noon.

The campaign workers have a list of 5000 prominent Jewish citizens whom they will canvass in behalf of the Young Men's Hebrew Association for the building fund of \$100,000.

22 Bird Cage Mfrs. We supply the best prospects. Ross-Gould List & Letter Co., 810 Olive

School Picnic Postponed. The annual school picnic of Sacred Heart Parish, which was to be held today, has been postponed until tomorrow owing to weather conditions.

The picnic is to be at Linin's Grove, 30 North Broadway. The proceeds from the picnic are to go toward the building fund of the new school at Twenty-fifth street and St. Louis avenue, now in the course of construction.

The Post-Dispatch is the only evening newspaper in St. Louis that receives or publishes news authorized by the Associated Press.

June Bargain Festival

Important Sale Events—Watch Advertisements

New Tub Skirts



Tomorrow we place on sale a lot of new Tub Skirts in pique, gabardine, waffle and honeycomb cloth, rice cloth, all the new weaves and the latest styles, slash and blouse pockets, and the price tomorrow will be.....

\$2.95

(Second Floor.)

Sport Coats for Women and Misses in Great Abundance

New Arrivals in Every Desirable Material

Sport Coats of Jersey Silks at \$10, \$12.50 and \$15

We have just received hundreds of these fashionable Coats in a great variety of styles; plenty of stripes and solid color combinations; emerald, green, gold, purple, rose, old blue, all black, all white; all sizes up to 46 bust.

Jersey Silk Sport Suits, \$21.75 and \$25

The newest models in this popular fabric; four different styles showing the latest ideas. Some of solid colors of emerald green, gold, rose, old blue and all white, others with pretty combinations of colored stripes and all white, the skirts are full, showing natty pockets. (Second Floor.)



Wash Fabrics

Dress Linen, 69c Colored Linen, in the wanted plain colors; soft finish; correct weight for dresses; 36 inches wide.

Printed Voile, 25c A fine sheer quality; neat black and colored stripes and floral patterns; 40 inches wide.

Chiffon Voile, 50c Fine Chiffon Voile in every wanted plain color; fine sheer quality; 38 inches wide.

45c Grenadine, 25c Half-silk Grenadine, in plain colors with self-colored jacquards; 36 inches wide.

Peter Thompson Linen, 69c In the wanted shade of blue; 36 inches wide. (Main Floor.)

15c Genuine Ripplette, 11c Best quality of seersucker kinkie cloth, light and dark colors with colored stripes; 29 inches wide.

12½c Dress Gingham, 7½c A good quality; light and dark colors, in stripes, plaids, checks and plain colors; 3 to 9 yard lengths; 32 inches wide.

15c Best Percale, 9c White grounds with black and colored stripes; 3 to 15 yard lengths.

12½c Amoskeag Chambray, 7½c 32-inch Chambray, in the wanted plain colors. A good quality for house dresses; 3 to 9 yard lengths. (Basement.)

Sample Lot of Tablecloths

To Be Sold Wednesday

Pure linen, 70x70-inch size, at.....\$1.95
Pure linen, 70x90-inch size, at.....\$2.69
Pure linen, 70x108-inch size, at.....\$2.95

½ dozen lots of napkins; consisting of fine, pure linen napkins; some are slightly mused, samples, etc.; ½ dozen lots.....\$1.19 and \$1.45

Extraordinary Table Linen values for Wednesday; 66-inch heavy Union Table Damask; heavy bleached; good patterns.....59c

70-inch extra heavy pure Linen German Damask; half bleached, soft finish; instead of \$1.25.....95c

per yard.....\$1.95
72-inch heavy double Satin Damask; beautiful patterns; this quality will sell for \$2.75; Wednesday at.....58c

72-inch highly-finished Mercerized Damask; the new price will be 69c; Wednesday at.....29c

64-inch heavy Mercerized Table Damask; good patterns.....35c

Mercerized Batiste; 45 inches wide, lustrous finish; regular 50c value; for one day only, yd. Nonkrush White Linen; 36 inches wide, made from specially prepared yarn; much in demand for suits and skirts.....75c

White Goods; for suits and skirts; 36 inches wide; in the new Oxford or basket weaves, checks and striped patterns; yard.....39c

3 Rug Specials

\$25 Wilton Velvet Rugs, size 9x12; large selection of designs; instead, to-morrow.....\$17.44

\$50.00 Seamless Art Loom Wilton Rugs, size 9x12; instead, to-morrow.....\$38.35

\$25.00 Seamless Royal Axminster Rugs, size 9x12; instead, to-morrow.....\$20

(Third Floor.)

Here Is a Bed Sale That Will Save You Money

On sale again Wednesday. The buying opportunity for months to come. You would bid more for these Beds at an auction sale than our price will be this week. Hotels, rooming houses and private homes will save considerable by attending this great June Sale.

Brass Beds, \$14.95 Regular \$25 Qualities New continuous 2-inch tube styles. In Roman gold lacquered finish; extra special at \$14.95.

Brass Beds, \$16.95 Regular \$30 Qualities Extra fine massive Beds in Roman finish, banded styles, very new, with 2-inch top rods, at \$16.95.

Steel Beds, \$4.00 Worth \$6.50 and \$7.50 17 styles, in bungalow, 4-poster and Colonial, in enamel and Ver-nis Martin finishes.

Cots at \$2.50 Two good styles; No. 1 the best canvas folding styles, No. 2 the all-steel cot; 30 inches wide, with best springs.

Mattress Special at \$3.90 Regular \$5.00 Value 4 or full sizes, special felt combination mattress with wood fiber center and roll edges.



\$5 Corsets

Important Purchase and Sale \$2.55

Average figure, medium low and high bust; made in batiste, coutil and brocade; sizes 19 to 30. (Fourth Floor.)

1.50 New Jersey Silks, Yd. \$1.00

This is a new weave similar to Jersey silk, only it is firm, will not stretch or pull, beautiful lustrous silk finish and is very fashionable; for sport suits, coats and skirts; comes in the wanted colors of French, Copenhagen and Belgium blues, brown, tan, gray, green, Bordeaux, plum, wisteria, light blue and pink; 36 inches wide. (Main Floor.)

Men, Its Your Turn Now!

Our Choice-of-the-House Sale is now on. Pick out any Man's Suit that sold for \$20, \$22.50, \$25, \$27.50 and \$30. Your unrestricted choice....

Silk and mohair suits alone excepted.

This includes all our Summer Suits, including fancy mixtures and lots of blue serges. (Third Floor.)



Pyralin Ivory, ½ Price

All New Styles, Heavy Quality Stock

By a great purchase we obtained the entire stock of factory rejects of this renowned Pyralin Ivory.

So particular are the inspectors of Pyralin Ivory that some of the defects can hardly be detected with the naked eye.

Never before have we obtained such a large variety, such a choice selection, or such high quality, and the prices are one-half regular cost.

To Our Patrons—We are not sure that we will be able to repeat this offer, as the factories making this ware are now making war materials. We are told that the prices on this ware are advancing rapidly. We would advise you to complete your ivory sets now.

75c Ivory Dressing Comb, Du Barry style, 42c
85c Ivory Salve Boxes, Du Barry style, 40c

\$5.00 Pyralin Hair Brushes, large size, extra long, stiff bristles, \$2.50
\$1.50 Ivory Dresser Lamp Holder, stick and shade.....75c

50c Ivory Hatpin Holders.....25c
\$2.00 Ivory Dresser trays, large size.....95c
\$1.50 Ivory Dresser Clocks.....30c

50c Ivory Salve Boxes, screw-on lid.....30c
80c Ivory Dresser Trays.....45c
\$2 Ivory Pin Cushions and Jewel Box.....95c

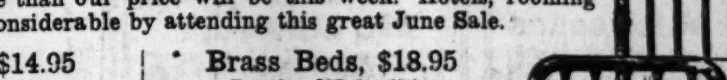
\$1.00 Ivory Perfume Bottle and Holder.....65c
25c Ivory Napkin Rings.....15c
24c Ivory Napkin Rings, with medallion.....60c

\$1.25 Ivory Pin Tray, glass lined.....60c
\$2.25 Ivory Military Hair Brushes, pair.....\$1.10
\$3.00 Ivory Dresser Trays, Du Barry style, large size.....\$1.50

\$1 Ivory Hatpin Holder.....50c
75c Ivory Talcum Powder Boxes.....30c
\$1.75 Ivory Hand Mirrors, triple plate glass, \$1.00
30c Ivory Dressing Combs.....10c

\$1.00 Ivory Clothes Brushes and Hat Brushes.....50c

\$3.50 Pyralin Ivory Bonnet Mirrors, 8x8-inch, triple plate glass.....\$1.60
5x7 triple plate glass, \$1.40 (Main Floor.)



Brass Beds, \$18.95 Regular \$35 Qualities Several big, massive styles in satin or bright finish, with 2 and 3 inch outer posts; special, \$18.95.

Brass Beds, \$12.95 Regular \$20 Qualities Handsome 4 or twin Beds, in best quality high-grade lacquered brass; very substantial; special, \$12.95.

Mattress Special, \$14.95 Regular \$25 Factory Price 100 new Ostermoor Mattresses, the finest 1916 styles with 50-pound filling and roll edges.

Pillows at 85c Pr. Worth \$1.25 Pair 200 pair all-feather Pillows, in pairs; all renovated stock, medium sizes.

Pillows at \$4 Pair Regular \$5.00 Value Made of the finest best white live geese feathers, steam renovated, the finest kind.

Bed Springs, \$4 Best \$5.00 Grade 100 more fine all-steel Bed Springs, never-sag styles; guaranteed by the maker for 25 years.

Bed Rolls, \$1.25 For full size beds, open style, best quality, all colors.

\$9.50 Baby Beds, \$7.50 Finest Foster make Safety Baby Beds, close set spindles, complete with springs. (Fourth Floor.)

B. NUGENT & BRO. D. G. CO., Broadway, Washington Av. and St. Charles St.

BELL-ANS

Absolutely Removes Indigestion. One package proves it. 25c at all druggists.

Movies of Pipe Making. F. N. Speller, metallurgical engineer of the National Tube Co., Pittsburgh, Pa., will show motion pictures of the manufacture of pipe before members of the Associated Engineering Societies tonight at 3817 Olive street. The address will begin at 8:15.

Penny & Gentles
BROADWAY and MORGAN ST.
St. Louis BARGAIN CENTER
We Give & Redeem SECURITY STAMPS

FOR THE LAST DAY OF
The Hyman Stock Sale
WE OFFER THESE EXTRA BARGAINS

35c ORGANDY VOILE 40 inches wide; white ground; big floral designs; the finest quality made; per yard.....	15c	10c Gingham One case Remnants Dress and Apron Gingham; on sale in Basement.....	3 3/4c
29c Feather Ticking The very best and finest feather ticking; for pillows, also mattresses; a big lot of remnants; at, per yard.....	15c	75c 9-4 Sheets Seamless; 11x90; 1 1/2 yard necessary for a skirt pattern, according to your skirt length; fast black.....	49c
\$1.50 Wool Voiles 54 inches wide; finest heavy all-wool Altman Black Voiles; with embroidered edge (2 bolts); per yard.....	49c	\$1.59 Taffeta 40-inch; so popular for separate skirts; only 2 to 3 1/2 yards necessary for a skirt pattern, according to your skirt length; fast black.....	\$1.29
75c Wash Suits For boys—sizes 2 1/2 to 8 years; good, fast color fabrics (Second Floor).....	45c	5c Laces Oriental, Val, and Venise; edges and insertions; up to three-inch width; yard.....	1 1/2c
25c Neckwear Samples; for women in collar and cuff sets; special, at.....	10c	10c Buttons For coat and dress trimmings; values up to 10c; special, a card.....	2 1/2c

Women's \$3 to \$4 Low Shoes, \$1.95
A special purchase of 1500 pairs of women's fine grade \$3 to \$4 Peggy Pumps, Mary Janes and Strap Slippers, in dull and patent leather, enables us to offer you up-to-the-minute footwear at a price less than the actual cost to make; all sizes in the lot; flexible soles; special for Wednesday.....

\$1.95

Children's \$1.25 and \$1.50 Sample Low Shoes, in dull and patent..... **89c**

Misses' and Children's Barefoot Sandals; sewn soles..... **59c**

Misses' and Children's White Canvas Mary Jane Slippers..... **\$1.00**

Women's 25c Vests
Extra size, full shape, extra long, size to 44..... **12 1/2c**

25c Hosiery
For men, women and children; full seamless; all colors and sizes; pair..... **11c**

Men's 69c Work Shirts
Light or blue chambray; double felled seams; all sizes to 47; special at..... **39c**

39c Petticoats
Gingham; scalloped ruffle; full sizes; choice..... **22c**

1000 NEW TUB DRESSES
Sizes 16 Years to 46 Bust
Beautifully made of the daintiest filmy voiles, in stripes, plaids, plain colors and combinations; also Seleo Silk, in pretty two-toned stripes, button trimmed or embroidered. Extra special..... **\$3.98**

WOMEN'S TUB SKIRTS
Smart Summer Skirts, in a number of new models; made of waffle cloth, gabardine, pique and beach cloth, in white and tan; all regular sizes..... **\$1.25**

Sample Corsets
Broken sizes; best models; \$1.00 values; choice of lot..... **50c**

75c Duplex Shades
Best quality green and white Window Shades; regular size; mounted on good rollers; for..... **35c**

\$3.00 Mattresses
\$3 Cotton top Mattresses; slightly torn; full and 3-4 sizes; big bargain..... **\$1.69**

40c Linoleum
Large selection of extra heavy quality felt Linoleum; cut from roll; square yard..... **29c**

\$5 Ball Bearing Lawn Mower, \$2.95
25c Adjustable Window Screens; best made; extend to 33 inches wide..... **15c**

\$1.50 Lawn Bench
folding; in red or green; very strong..... **89c**

\$1.50 Roll Poultry Wire
4 feet high; 150 square feet; galvanized..... **93c**

\$1.10 Ice Cream Freezer
2 quart; freezes cream in 5 minutes..... **69c**

15c Gas Mantles
inverted or upright; triple wicks; all perfect..... **5c**

50c Paints; quart cans
for floors, walls and woodwork; all colors..... **25c**

25c Wash Bulbs
made heavy; with non-rustable bottom..... **48c**

50c Washbulb
heavy galvanized iron; strong handle..... **59c**

Yuan-Shi-Kai, Head of Chinese Republic, Dies

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ernment was established by the Generalissimo commanding the revolutionary forces in the South. President Yuan-Shi-Kai announced on May 28 his intention to resign when a suitable successor was chosen. It was reported a little later that the President intended to take refuge in Japan and a dispatch from Tokyo said that he was negotiating for a residence in the Japanese capital.

YUAN ENTERED ARMY AT 19 AND ROSE RAPIDLY

Assisted Empress Dowager in Gaining Throne in 1898—Led Northern Rebels.

YUAN-SHI-KAI was born in 1859, the son of an unimportant official in Honan Province. As a youth he failed to pass in examination in ancient classics and for this reason was excluded from a Government position under the system then in vogue in China.

At the age of 19 years he went into Korea with the army and was promoted rapidly because of his military and diplomatic ability. The Grand Chancellor Li Hung-Chang appointed him Chinese resident at Seoul which was one of the highest appointments under the empire. He took the position when 26 years old. After the Chinese were driven out of Korea he was one of the few who returned to Peking still in the favor of the court. At Peking he rapidly gained prominence.

It has been believed generally that he assisted the Empress Dowager in wresting the throne from the Emperor Kuang Shu in 1898. The Dowager appointed him Governor of Shantung. While in charge there during the Boxer uprising he agreed to join the Boxers providing they would prove their assertion that they were immune from harm by bullets of the foreigners.

One fanatic agreed to accept the test and is reported to have been shot and killed by Yuan-Shi-Kai. His death freed Yuan-Shi-Kai from any allegiance to the Boxers. With the death of the Empress Dowager and the Emperor Kuang Shu, who are believed to have poisoned each other, the child Emperor Hsun Tung came to the throne and Yuan was dismissed in disgrace.

In 1911 he returned to power as leader of all the Northern forces in the anti-Manchu rebellion. The abdication of the Manchu rulers was forced and the boy Emperor agreed to a republican form of Government.

Sun Yat-Sen, Provisional President of the Southern rebels, was forced to retire and Yuan-Shi-Kai was elected provisional President of the Chinese Republic. In 1915 he accepted the throne of China. He was to ascend it early in 1916, but after one postponement of the coronation he announced his intention to retain the presidency rather than become Emperor. Certain elements in the country desired him to retire from the presidency also and the revolution in the Southern provinces followed.

3 Killed, 13 Hurt in Explosion of Gas Tanks

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above the elbow and a piece of iron from the gas tank ripped through his right arm at the elbow.

The first explosion at the works occurred at 8 a. m. The explosion was said to have been caused by hydrogen gas and the fragments of a steel containing tank were blown through the roof of the one-story concrete laboratory.

At the time of the first explosion, Ferguson, the general manager, said that he could not explain the trouble. He said that the gas had been turned off the tank, which contained only 70 cubic feet. At the time of the first explosion he estimated the damage to the building, machinery and the loss of gas at \$1300.

After the first explosion Nogaalski and his helper, Hoffman, went to cut up the ruined tank for junk. While they were working on this tank, there was a second explosion, which caused the fatalities.

Busy Bee Bakery Special This Week.
Coburg Coffee Cake (nut filled), 15c each.

MAN IS BEATEN BY ROBBER

One of Trio Held Up Ignores Command and Is Slugged.
Otto Hirsch of 340 Von Verzen avenue, Dr. Herman Ehrenrich, 1422 Franklin avenue, and Louis Fishman, 237 Gamble street, were held up by two men at Fourteenth street and Franklin avenue about 2:45 o'clock this morning.

The robbers pointed revolvers at Hirsch and ordered him to remove a \$500 diamond ring which he wore on his left hand. When he ignored the command one of the robbers beat him on the head with a revolver until he fell. The robbers then fled.

J. E. Conant & Co. to Sell Buell Collection.
The real estate, building, machinery and good will of the Buell Manufacturing Co., blankets, robes and woolsens, St. Joseph, Mo., are to be sold at auction by J. E. Conant & Co., Thursday, June 15, beginning at 11 a. m. The property will be sold without limit or reserve, to the highest bidder, provided the terms and conditions of the sale are complied with. The property is on several railroad lines.

Big Department Store Burns.
WILMINGTON, Del., June 6.—Lippincott's department store, the largest in this city, was destroyed by fire last night, the loss being estimated at \$400,000. Several firemen were injured fighting the blaze.

Woman Run Down by Auto.
Miss Lena Krupp, 30 years old, of 3388 Old Manchester road, was knocked down at Channing and Olive streets last night by an automobile belonging to the Ice Wagon Drivers' Union, Local 88, driven by William Edmonson of 7045 Florissant avenue, the business agent. She was cut on the left cheek and lower lip.

CHILDREN WE WORRY ABOUT

Close confinement in school during the past winter, overstudy perhaps, an attack of the grip or tonsillitis, some one of these things is doubtless responsible for the condition of the child who shows a decline in health now.

What are the symptoms? Pallor and languor, a sickle appetite, dark rings under the eyes, bronchial colds. Very often the best efforts of the family physician fail in such cases and the condition of the child causes the most intense anxiety. Cod-liver oil, so often prescribed, generally fails because the weak stomach is unable to digest fats.

Try this treatment. Before breakfast each morning give the child the juice of half an orange. After the noon meal give one of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Keep this up for a few days and then give one of the pills after the evening meal also. Weigh the child before beginning this treatment and again after two weeks. An increase in weight of from two to five pounds will show you that you are on the right track at last. Care is necessary in the diet of the patient and it will be well to send to the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y., for a diet book and the pamphlet, "Building Up the Blood." Both are free. Your own druggist sells Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.—ADV.

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Old Kentucky will please your taste and quicken your appetite. Get a 10c plug from your dealer today—you'll always be glad you got acquainted with it.—ADV.

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Over 10,000 Neckties at Less Than Wholesale Prices
50c, 65c and 75c Values

AT **35c** 3 for \$1.00



MEN—how's that? Doesn't it sound good to you? And we assure you the values are all and more than we say they are. Let others talk about high prices and scarcity of fine silks. Months ago we contracted with one of the largest exclusive manufacturers for his entire stock of Spring and Summer silks to be delivered to us on June 1st—and here it is—at a saving you cannot resist.

Thousands of the very newest Open End and Reversible Four-in-Hands and those popular Windsorette Bat Ties.

Remember—no job lots—no old patterns—every single Tie in this wonderful assortment was made especially for us—all are new, fresh and sparkling with style and quality—the most wanted shapes in an endless assortment of exquisite weaves and color combinations in

Japanese and India Prints, Crepe Failles and other rich and glistening silks.

See these Ties in our windows—see the tremendous stacks on our counters—come and revel in this real bargain opportunity—select enough Ties to last you all season—you'll want at least a dozen at the price we are naming—values up to 75c—at 35c each, or, 3 for \$1.00.

Tomorrow—Store Opens Half an Hour Earlier
To accommodate the many men who cannot get here during regular business hours—while this sale is on, our store will open at 7:30—just one-half hour earlier than usual.

NOTE: Extra preparations have been made to assure you quick service.

"If you see it in a Schmitz & Shroder ad—it's TRUE"

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No urging should be necessary, as the privilege of choosing from this season's finest \$15 to \$35 Suit styles for \$10 should prove irresistible. The best values will go to the earliest shoppers.

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20 Cloth Suits, heretofore \$35.00	\$10
6 Cloth Suits, heretofore \$32.50	
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50 Cloth Suits, heretofore \$24.75	
20 Cloth Suits, heretofore \$19.75	
15 Cloth Suits, heretofore \$14.95	

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Used successfully for eight years by this man and women who want to put on flesh and increase weight. Eat with your meals. Pleasant, harmless and inexpensive. Sold in St. Louis by Wolff-Wilson Drug Co., Johnson-Roderie Pharmacy, Judge & Dolph Drug Co., 3 stores; Westport Drug Co., 2 stores; and leading druggists everywhere.—ADV.

Applying this Paste Actually Removes Hair
(Beauty Note)
Merely applying an inexpensive cream to a hairy surface, say beauty specialists, will dissolve the hairs. This paste is made by mixing a little water with some powdered Cuticura; after about 5 minutes it is rubbed off and the skin washed. This simple method not only removes every trace of hair, but leaves the skin free from blemish. To insure success with this treatment, be careful to get real Cuticura.—ADV.

BOY FATALLY HURT AT PLAY

Leroy Bucher, the 10-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. George Bucher, 2106 De Kalb street, died this morning at the Lutheran Hospital, 300 Ohio avenue, as the result of injuries sustained when playing on the grounds of the Lafayette Public School.

He collided with one of his companions, and the other boy's teeth struck him in the forehead, fracturing the frontal bone.

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EMERSON Upright Piano; walnut case; regular value \$400; used, but in good condition; NOW \$175.

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WILSON TAKES UP ST. LOUIS PLANS WITH ADVISERS

Discusses Convention With Cabinet, Ollie James and Representative Doremus.

WASHINGTON, June 6.—Plans for the Democratic national convention with particular reference to the platform were discussed today by President Wilson with his advisers at the Cabinet meeting and at an informal White House conference. Senator Ollie James, who is to be permanent chairman of the convention, and Representative Doremus, chairman of the Democratic Congressional Committee, participated in the discussion. The President, who is preparing a draft of the platform, will not complete his work until after the Republican convention. While the main features already have been decided, the tone of the document will be influenced by the action of the Chicago convention.

Platform Information.
Members of the Cabinet are preparing information to be used in the platform and the speeches of former Gov. Glynn of New York, the temporary chairman. Judge John W. Wescott, who will nominate Mr. Wilson, and Senator James. Peace and prosperity will be the keynote of the platform and special reference will be made to the preparedness measures, both military and industrial, adopted and proposed by the administration. In the legislative achievements of the administration chief attention will be paid to the tariff, currency, the Alaskan Railroad and Trade Commission bills and mention will be made of the pending tariff commission, Philippine and rural credit bills.

Stone and Lansing to Help.
Senator Stone, who is slated for chairman of the Platform Committee, is expected to confer with the President in the near future. Secretary Lansing will co-operate with them in the final drafting of foreign affairs of the Government during the Democratic administration.

Secretaries Daniels, Baker and Houston already have arranged to attend the St. Louis convention and other members probably will decide to go.

COURTMARTIAL OF TEXAS MILITIAMEN IS POSTPONED

Men Who Failed to Muster Roll Not in Court When Case Is Called.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., June 6.—The absence of all the accused and the postponement today of the trial by court-martial of those members of the Texas militia who failed to present themselves for muster in the Federal service. The original number of those who failed to respond has been greatly reduced from 115 to those who straggled in from time to time and signed the muster roll.

Members of the court were unable to say when the trial would begin.

U. R. LEGAL FORCE SWAMPED

Railways Attorney Asks That Only 20 Cases Be Assigned a Week.

A change in the system of assigning cases against the United Railways for trial was requested this morning by Attorney George T. Priest, who appeared before the Circuit Judges in general term. The complaint of the United Railways attorney was that since the rule of the Circuit Court, requiring all cases to be assigned for trial immediately, the legal department of the United Railways has been swamped, having to defend about 40 cases a week.

Priest wanted the assignment Judge to limit the United Railways cases to not more than 20 a week. Judge Taylor, the assignment Judge, has previously refused to make this change on his own responsibility, contending that it might result in clogging the docket.

LIFE GUARD EXAMINATION

Efficiency Board Has Charge of Test to Select Watchers at Pools.

Life guards who are to serve at the various municipal swimming pools this season will be chosen through a test conducted in the Soudard Public Bathhouse and Natatorium today. The Efficiency Board is in charge of the examination, which includes practical demonstrations of the competitors' abilities as swimmers, divers and life-savers.

Those entering the competition were required to swim 200 yards to permit a judgment of their speed and power of stroke; recover a sack of sand weighing 25 pounds from a depth of eight feet; give proof of their ability to break the "death-grasp" of a drowning person, and illustrate two methods of towing a struggling person to shore.

Ten points constitute a perfect score. The allowance is: Personality, 2 points; experience, 2 points; practical test, 6 points.

Max Jacobson, Cigar Co. in New Location.

The Max Jacobson Cigar Co. for many years at 417 N. Ninth street, is now located in its own building at 3227 Olive street, where Olive street intersects the new automobile cut-off at Channing avenue.

The firm, under the management of A. W. Jacobson, does an extensive business as jobbers and importers of clear Havana and domestic cigars.

Night Court for Civil Cases.

NEW YORK, June 6.—A night court for the trial of several suits involving sums of less than \$50 will be conducted here as an experiment to ascertain whether it is desired by wage earners who cannot spare time to attend court during the day. Four sessions will be held each week. At the opening session last night there were no cases ready to be heard.

Busy Bee Tea Rooms, 417 N. 7th St. A delightful place to entertain your visiting friends with a dainty luncheon.

"Million Dollar Increase Sale!"

The Lindell

is forging ahead and making wonderful strides—we are determined to increase the annual business a Million Dollars. The greatest crowds that any St. Louis store has seen—crowds of Christmas time proportion responded to this "Million Dollar Sale" yesterday. And crowds are a criterion—for St. Louis' shoppers know values—we've made staunch friends of all who have come thus far—and we know just one visit to the Lindell will make you a "Lindell Booster."

That Greatest SHIRT Sale

Brings 8500 Shirts—Regularly \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.00

66c Each or 6 for \$3.75

HERE is another one of those "Lindell Sales" that will supply a topic for conversation in hundreds of St. Louis homes.

AT 40c on the dollar, we bought nearly 8500 Shirts of the celebrated "Unique" and "P. E. W." brands—a quantity of staggering proportion, but not too large for the Lindell Store!

Now, Men of St. Louis—Prepare to Select the Best Values You Have Seen

EVERY Shirt is fresh, clean and perfect in every respect. They are all in the original boxes. They come in the most attractive Spring patterns and color combinations, in such materials as percales, woven madras, silk stripes, satin blazers, Anderson madras and many other high-grade materials. Laundered or soft cuffs and all sizes from 13½ to 17½—all sleeve lengths.

EVERY window on Washington Avenue will be devoted to the display of Shirts in this sale.

EVERY Bargain Square on Main Floor filled with Shirts in this remarkable sale. (Main Floor—The Lindell.)



cents

90'clock Special

FOR ONE HOUR ONLY. No Mail or Phone Orders. Quantities Restricted.

69c Lilac Vegetal

The Superior Toilet Perfume, excellent for toilet, and bath and delightful for shaving. For one hour only, 45c

12½c Shirting Madras

Bookfold Shirting Madras—light grounds with neat figures and dots—for one hour only, yard, 6½c

35c to 60c Ribbons

Black Velvet Ribbons, satin back, Nos. 7, 9, 12, 16, 22, 40—a few colors in the lot—for one hour only, at yard, 15c

\$1.00 Petticoats

Women's washable Striped Gingham Petticoats—solid colors and striped crepes—made with sectional flounces and dust ruffles—for one hour only, at yard, 50c

FOR MEN—A Real Straw Hat Opportunity

Men in attendance at the Shirt Sale will find this great sale of Straw Hats of extreme underprice. There are sennit and split braids, sailors with high or low crowns, in fact, a dozen different style effects. Regular \$1.45 and many \$1.85 values; all sizes; choice.....

95c

\$8.44 for \$18.50 to \$22.50 Silk Dresses

Here Is a Typical Example of Lindell Value-Giving!

You will wonder how the possibility ever presented itself of offering such delightful little Frocks at this very low price. Taffeta, crepe de chine and charmeuse, in such colors as brown, tan, navy, light blue, lavender, also black and white. Choice in all sizes for women and misses, \$8.44.

New Silk Jersey Coats

Real Knit Silk Jerseys—the most attractive Sport Coats you have seen—come in solid colors and stripes—large collars and reverses—belted models—fancy pockets and cuffs.....

\$14.67



20'clock Special

FOR ONE HOUR ONLY. No Mail or Phone Orders. Quantities Restricted.

\$1 House Dresses

Women's Striped Gingham House Dresses—short sleeves, medium low neck, pearl button fastenings—sizes up to 44—for one hour only, at yard, 50c

85c Silk Gloves

Women's—short Milanese silk, in white silver and chamolite color—all have fancy embroidered backs—special at, pair, 59c

12½c Voiles

White Dress Voile—40 inches wide, and white Lawn—special for one hour only, at yard, 6c

39c Stationery

Combination Stationery Cabinet with Gold Edge Cards—special at, 20c

400 Attractive Trimmed Hats

97c \$1.97

Also at \$2.97 and \$3.97

Priced so extremely low because we are DETERMINED to make you acquainted with "Lindell Values."

LARGE black, white and light-colored Hats and an immense style assortment—in fact, a style to please every taste.

YOU will marvel at the wonderful values represented in these four price lots, and ever after will associate "The Lindell" and "Millinery."

Shapes, 29c and 39c

For Shapes of Regular \$2.50 to \$4.00 Values

For black and colored shapes, Milan hems and hems, a few colored lisesers. Not a Hat in this collection originally was priced at less than \$2. Choice Wednesday, 29c and 39c.

85c

(Third Floor—The Lindell.)

1200 Pairs Women's Shoes

Values Up to \$5.00

A good assortment of women's high and low shoes in white, tan, patent, gunmetal and vicid kid, button and lace effects—a few Pumps are included. A fair size assortment

69c

(Second Floor—The Lindell.)

18c Towels

10c Each

One hundred dozen Huck Towels, plain white or with red borders; size 18x44 inches; regular 18c quality; special for Wednesday..... 10c

12½c Printed Batiste

1000 yards of fine Batiste; pink, navy, blue, black grounds, dots or stripes; 27 inches wide; yard, 7½c

15c Shirting Percalae

Remnants—1000 yards fine Shirting Percalae; yd., 10c

18c (30-Inch) Repps

White Diagonal Repps, for Summer skirts or children's wear. Special, yard, 12½c

1000 yards fine white Pique, wale or medium size cords, also mercerized silk; 27 inches wide; 25c and 39c grades; yard, 19c

Sale Bedspreads

Fine Bedspreads; some slightly soiled from handling, also some slight menders; crocheted and Mar-seilles, satin finish; values up to \$6.00, for \$1.98

Crocheted Bedspreads, 80x86, full size, extra quality, heavy weight; \$2.00 values, at, \$1.45

Crocheted Bedspreads, 72x84, full size, medium weight; \$1.35 value, at, 88c

—Main floor—The Lindell.

This Is a Wonderful Sale of Curtains

It brings choice of nearly 3500 pairs at a fraction of real value, because

WE Secured the Entire Surplus Stock of a New York Maker

At an Extraordinary Saving

Here is the way you can buy Curtains and Materials tomorrow—

\$2.25 to \$2.75 Curtains \$1.28
FILET, Nottingham, Scotch Net and Cable Net Curtains, in exact copies of fine handmade Duchesse, Battenberg, Cluny and Arabian Laces, in white, ivory, two tones and Arabian colors. Come in a splendid range of beautiful patterns.

\$3.00 to \$3.75 Curtains \$1.69
BEAUTIFUL Filet, Nottingham, Scotch and Cable Net Lace Curtains, in exact copies of fine handmade Duchesse, Battenberg, Cluny and Arabian laces, in white, ivory, two-toned and Arabian color—wide range of beautiful designs.

19c to 25c Oretones at.....12½c Yard
19c to 25c Curtain Voiles at.....9c Yard
15c and 19c Curtain Nets.....9c Yard
60c Sunfast Madras at.....33c Yard
45c to 60c Curtain Nets.....27c Yard
25c to 30c Scotch Madras at.....17c Yard

(Fourth Floor—The Lindell.)

Bright, Crisp, New Middies

All-white, white with colored collars, pink, light blue, navy, red and striped collars—made of good quality galates and trimmed with stars and anchors; sizes 6 to 20; special, at, 95c

(Third Floor—The Lindell.)

"Watch The LINDELL"
THE LINDELL STORE

Autolot Sentenced to Two Years.
KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 6.—Ralph
Smiley, driver of a motor car that killed

four persons here on Jan. 2, pleaded
guilty to manslaughter yesterday in the
Criminal Court and was sentenced to
two years in prison.

Like a Boy at 50 Bubbling Over With Vitality—Taking Iron Did It

Doctor says Nuxated Iron is greatest of all strength builders—
Often increases the strength and endurance of delicate, nervous
folks 200 per cent, in two weeks' time.

Not long ago a man came to me who was nearly half a century old and asked me to give him a preliminary examination for life insurance. I was astonished to find him with the blood pressure of a boy of 20 and as full of vigor, vim and vitality as a young man; in fact, a young man he really was, notwithstanding his age. The secret, he said, was taking Nuxated Iron. He had filled him with renewed life. At 50 he was in bad health; at 60 a nervous wreck; at 70 a man of 20. A miracle of vitality and his face beaming with the buoyancy of youth. As I have said a hundred times over, iron is the greatest of all strength builders. If people would only throw away patent medicines and nauseous concoctions and take simple Nuxated Iron, I am convinced that the lives of thousands of persons might be saved who now die every year from pneumonia, grippe, consumption, kidney, liver and heart trouble, etc. The real and true cause which started their diseases was nothing more nor less than a weakened condition brought on by lack of iron in the blood. Iron is absolutely necessary to enable your blood to change food into living tissue. Without it, no matter how much or what you eat, your food merely passes through you, doing you no good. You don't get the strength out of it, and as a consequence you become weak, pale and sickly looking. Just like a plant trying to grow in a soil deficient in iron. If you are not strong or well you owe it to yourself to make the following test: See how long you can work or how far you can walk without becoming tired. Next take two five-grain tablets of ordinary iron three times per day after meals for two weeks. Then test your strength again and see for yourself how much you have gained. I have seen dozens of nervous, run-down people who

were doing all the while double their strength and endurance entirely get rid of all symptoms of dyspepsia, liver and other troubles in from ten to four-ten days' time simply by taking iron in the proper form. And this after they had in some cases been doctoring for months without obtaining any benefit. But don't take the old forms of reduced iron, iron acetate or tincture of iron simply to save a few cents. You must take iron in a form that can be easily absorbed and assimilated like Nuxated Iron if you want it to do you any good, otherwise it may prove worse than useless. Many an athlete or prize fighter has won the day simply because he knew the secret of great strength and endurance and filled his blood with iron before he went into the arena, while many another has gone down to inglorious defeat simply for the lack of iron.—E. Sauer, M. D.

NOTE.—Nuxated Iron, recommended above by Dr. Sauer, is not a patent medicine nor secret remedy, but one which is well known to druggists and whose iron constituents are widely prescribed by eminent physicians everywhere. Unlike the older inorganic iron products, it is easily assimilated, does not injure the teeth, make them black, nor upset the stomach; on the contrary, it is a most potent remedy, in nearly all forms of indigestion, as well as for nervous run-down conditions. The manufacturers have such great confidence in Nuxated Iron that they offer to forfeit \$100.00 to any charitable institution if they cannot take any man or woman under 60 who lacks 200 per cent or over in four weeks' time, provided they have no serious organic trouble. They also offer to refund your money if it does not at least double your strength and endurance in 10 days' time. It is dispensed in this city by Judge & Dolph Drug Co., Wolf-Wilson Drug Co., Johnson-Fauley-Enders Drug Co. and all other druggists.—ADV.

JUDGE FISHER POINTS OUT EVILS OF COURT SYSTEM

Jurist 26 Years on Bench Would Change Methods
of Selecting Jurors and Declares That
Divorces Are Too Easy.

The longest term of service which any judge has had on the bench of the St. Louis Circuit Court will end next January, when Judge Daniel D. Fisher will retire to private life. He will then be 80 years old, and will have been on the bench for 26 years. This has been a continuous service since 1889, except that he was out of office from 1897 to 1899.

Judge Fisher recently announced that he would not seek re-nomination. Judge James E. Withrow has made the nearest approach, thus far, to Judge Fisher's record, having been elected for four six-year terms.

Judge Fisher, who is known to St. Louis lawyers as the Nestor of the bench, talked with a Post-Dispatch reporter today on his observations and impressions as a judge in the civil and criminal courts. Four years of his 26 will have been spent in the criminal division of the Circuit Court, where he is at present on duty.

Easier in Criminal Court.

"The mental labor of a judge is much lighter in a criminal court than in a civil court," he said. "The criminal statutes are simple, and their application changes but little. The civil statutes are complex, and new

conditions and states of fact are continually arising, through the development of our industrial life. These cannot always be provided for in special statutes, and it is the work of a judge to make the laws fit these changing conditions.

The parole law, which is working well here, has added to the work of the criminal judges. It should be supplemented by a system, like that in use in the District of Columbia, by which offenders can work on an industrial farm, and their earnings can be applied to the support of their families. At present, the most distasteful duty of a criminal judge is to sentence a man to imprisonment, knowing that their families may suffer destitution in their absence.

"There is the greatest need of a change in our system of obtaining and qualifying jurors in criminal cases. In capital cases, the defendant is entitled to a panel of 47 men, and he practically selects his own jury, as the State's 35 challenges come first, and the defense can then strike out 30 men and keep 12. A 24-hour postponement is usually obtained after the panel has been selected, and as the members of the panel are free during that time, the defense has an added opportunity to serve its own purposes.

"A panel of 30 should be sufficient in a capital case, 20 in cases where life imprisonment is possible, and not more than 18 in ordinary cases. Under the present method, if lawyers were to insist on all they are entitled to, as to time and number of jurors, the courts could not get through their business."

Lawyer a Business Expert.

Judge Fisher believes that the general practice of law has not now the importance that it had a generation ago. At present, he says, the lawyer is more likely to be a business expert, specializing in the business of a single large corporation or a group of such corporations. The public attitude toward the lawyer, he believes, has also changed since the days when the lawyer and the minister stood side by side on the pedestal of general respect.

As to the public attitude toward the courts, he believes the sentiment for the recall of judges, and of judicial decisions, has largely evaporated. But the public, he believes, is still somewhat unreasonable in its view of the courts and their work.

"The public," he said, "does not appreciate that the conduct of court business is different from that of commercial business. It is slow and painstaking, and cannot be rushed in any other way. Nor can a judicial task be divided between a number of men. One man, as a rule, must do it all."

"In the matter of divorce suits, the Judges of the St. Louis Circuit Court have done more than is required of them, in the effort to protect the public from imposition. The Judges are required only to hear the testimony presented, but in cases where there was suspicion of collusion, they have caused investigation to be made, appointing some young lawyer for the purpose."

"I feel that the grounds of divorce in this State should be curtailed and made more specific. Under the present statutes, Judges have to grant divorces in many cases for reasons which they feel to be inadequate. It is a matter of record that divorces have become more common in recent years, and the general attitude toward divorced persons is much more tolerant than it used to be."

Judge Fisher believes that Judges are under an obligation to the public to maintain the dignity and honor of the bench. "The courts of this country have more power than the legislative or the executive," he declared, "and they have the last say. The need for keeping the courts on a high level cannot be too forcibly stated."

As a student Judge Fisher attended the Chicago convention which nominated Abraham Lincoln in 1860, and he cast his first vote for Lincoln. He was brought up on an Illinois farm, and was educated in that State and in Illinois, coming to St. Louis in 1886. Since his wife's death last year, he has lived at the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. George Marion Brown, 338 West Pine boulevard. He plays golf and attributes his continued good health to this exercise, and to the inheritance of a sound physique.

One of the most notable acts of his career as a Judge was the granting of an injunction in 1901 against the passage of the Suburban electric franchise bill by the Municipal Assembly. This measure had been the subject of a boodieu had been the subject of a boodieu prevented the "goods" from being delivered the conspirators quarreled, and Circuit Attorney Folk got the material for his historic bribery prosecutions.

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"NATIONAL AFFAIRS LARGELY IN THE HANDS OF PINHEADS"
CHICAGO, June 6.—John Hays Hammond, addressing the National Republican League here today said that the country is facing important problems in economics and social conditions and national defense and that it is unfortunate in "this grave crisis the conduct of our national affairs is largely in the hands of inconsequential politicians of the pinhead variety."

Mr. Hammond said that to assure prosperity there was need for a protective tariff, for the development, but not through Government ownership of an American merchant marine and of American banking facilities abroad.

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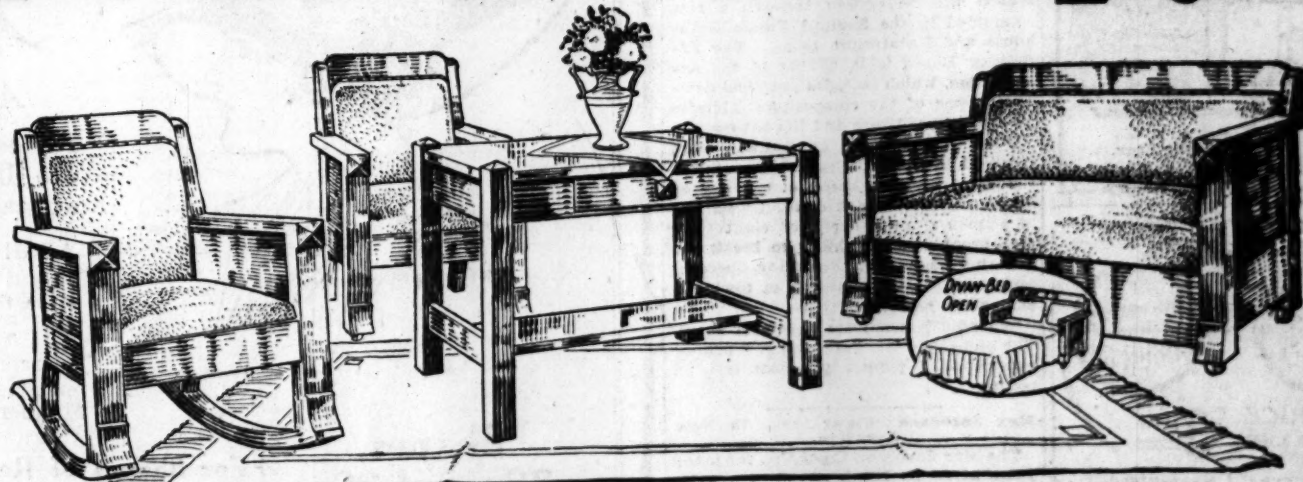
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SUFFRAGISTS TO POSE IN TABLEAU FOR DEMOCRATS

60 Women Will Participate in Affair at Old Art Museum on Route of "Golden Lane."

A suffrage tableau, in which 60 St. Louis women will pose at 15-minute intervals for two hours, will be a feature of the "Golden Lane" demonstration on Locust street, June 14, when delegates to the Democratic national convention are en route to the Coliseum for the opening of the convention at noon.

The tableau will be presented for 15 minutes, and then the participants will rest 15 minutes. Thus there will be four presentations of the tableau in two hours. The tableau will be staged on the steps of the old Art Museum, at Nineteenth and Locust streets.

Each state in which women have the vote will be represented by a woman attired in white, and each nation in which women are enfranchised will be represented by a woman attired in the national costume of that country. Each of these women will hold a shield, and all of them will be crowned by a symbolic figure of Liberty.

Below this will be women representing states which have not granted suffrage. Each state which has granted partial suffrage will be represented by a woman in gray, and states which have disregarded women's right entirely will be represented by figures in black. Missouri will be among the figures in black.

These Directing Tableau.
The tableau has been arranged by Tom Barnett, architect; Victor Holm, sculptor, and Hans Tonsfeldt, consulting engineer. It will be directed by Misses Virginia Stevens and Jennie M. A. Jones. Mrs. Lelia Chopin Hattersly, author of "Kitty Comes In," a play which was given its premiere in St. Louis last week, will have one of the leading parts.

Arrangements for the "Golden Lane" have been completed. The Equal Suffrage League, in charge of arrangements, announced today that about 9000 women would be in the line on each side of Locust street, from Twelfth street to Jefferson avenue, between 10 and 12 a. m.

At noon visiting suffragists and women delegates to the national convention will be guests at a luncheon in a tent on the east side of Nineteenth street, near Locust. From 3 to 4 p. m. women delegates and visitors will be entertained by the Woman's Council, in some manner yet to be determined.

At 6:30 p. m. the Town Club, a woman's organization, will give a dinner at the rooms of the City Club. Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt of New York, president of the board of the National Suffrage Association, will speak and arrive in St. Louis next Saturday from Chicago.

In the evening the suffrage demonstration will be staged on Twelfth street, in front of Hotel Jefferson, where the Democratic National Committee and most of the Democratic leadership will be quartered. A band concert will begin at 7:30, and 10 women marshals will direct the demonstration. Miss Sophie Rombauer will be grand marshal. The Business Women's Equal Suffrage League will be in charge.

To Carry Yellow Lanterns.
The women will be attired in white, without hats, and will carry yellow lanterns and float yellow balloons. During the morning they will carry yellow parols and wear yellow sashes and yellow ties.

Mrs. Catt at 8:30, will speak from an automobile platform, in the street. At 9:30 a professional woman, to be chosen later, will read the suffrage plank which the women want inserted in the Democratic platform. At 9:50 an American flag, loaned by the D. A. R., will be raised by the Camp Fire Girls, and the singing of the Star Spangled Banner will conclude the suffrage demonstration.

It was announced that 500 suffragists, now in Chicago for the demonstration at the Republican and Progressive conventions, will come from Chicago to St. Louis by steamboat, arriving here next Wednesday. While in St. Louis these suffragists will sleep on the boat.

So far, it was said at the "Golden Lane" headquarters at 1006 Locust street, 1200 St. Louis women have been enlisted for the "Golden Lane" demonstration. The others, it was said, will come from Missouri towns and other states.

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Small figured Swiss and nainsook edges with insertions to match. Mostly handloom products at 5c, 7 1/2c and 10c yd.

27-in. Baby Flouncings, 29c and 39c yard.

Main Floor, Aisle 4

THE BIG SALE OF MEN'S SUITS

\$16 \$19 \$22

The surplus stocks of two clothing makers, whose products we feature in our men's shop all the year around. The smartest summer patterns—all wool fabrics—and both regular and pinch-back models. The low prices at which we bought these suits enables us to offer you the best suit values of the season. Don't miss the chance.

"Eureka" Cool Cloth Suits

Gray, tan, olive and brown—all sizes—a cool, serviceable suit for all Summer. Regular and pinch-back models...\$8.75

"Heat-Proof" Cloth Suits

The new Priestley fabric—light, lustrous, strong, durable. Easily cleaned—sizes and styles for all men...\$7.75

Second Floor



Plenty of Savings in HOME NEEDS

\$4.95 Sprinkling Hose, \$3.88
50 ft. of 5-ply Sprinkling Hose, complete with coupling.

45c Hose Nozzles, 29c
Heavy brass spray nozzles.

50c Lawn Sprinklers, 39c
Brass fountain sprayers; large size.

\$1.50 Hose Reels, \$1.19
Large size, all metal, with large wheels.

25% Discount on Flower Boxes
Window flower boxes, wood and heavy tin, several sizes.

\$5.95 Lawn Swings, \$4.39
Large size, four passenger.

45c Window Screens, 34c
Adjustable, 30 inches high; extends to 37 inches wide.

Solid Oak Screen Doors
Covered with first grade copper wire cloth, various sizes.

\$8.25 Oak Screen Doors...\$5.98
\$7.25 Oak Screen Doors...\$4.99

Laundry Soap Special
(No phone or mail orders filled.)

Patent & Gable Lenz Laundry Soap, 1 lb. box, 25c.

Crystal White Laundry Soap, 1 lb. box, 20c.

Basement Gallery

Unusual Savings in This Sale of Wash Suits

For Boys

Four big feature groups at

\$1.45 \$1.95

\$2.45 \$2.95

"Regatta" and "Manhattan" models—the best styles of the season for boys of all ages from 2 to 10 years. Every suit is guaranteed to be fast color. The sale still affords excellent choice for every mother who really wants to save.

Second Floor



You'll Like These Voile Waists

Very New, at **\$2.00**

Pretty voiles, these—trimmed with embroidery and Val. laces, and smartly finished with the new large collars. Long-sleeve styles—in all sizes from 34 to 46. Special at \$2.

A World of Styles to Choose From at \$2.

Third Floor



These Morning Aprons

LOOK LIKE HOUSE DRESSES

Styles in Aprons have changed much the last season or two, and now comes a maker who has designed an Apron that very much resembles a house dress. It's as you see here pictured, and gives the wearer a very tidy appearance; of plain pink and blue percale, with large white pique collar and cuffs, with fancy braid trimming; adjustable belt, pocket on each side of skirt; special introductory price,

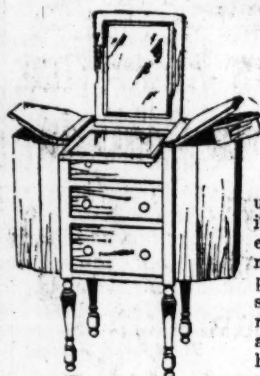
\$1.50

Women's Three-Piece Sets
Offering \$1 Kinds for 79c
Including sacque, skirt and cap; of light and dark percales, in fancy stripes; piped; also black and white stripes; adjustable belt.

Women's Bungalow Aprons
75c Kinds for 50c
An odd lot of dotted and striped percales in light and medium shades; open side, front and back; fitted at waist line.

Third Floor

A Practical Gift for the June Bride— \$21 Combination Sewing and Dressing Tables



Wednesday & Thursday

Special **\$15.75** for

As here illustrated, very ornate and very useful. 29 inches high with top 28 1/2 x 14 inches; fitted with sliding glass tray, beveled plate, mirror 8 1/2 x 1 1/2 inches and a most complete Sewing Cabinet with compartments and two small drawers; built of solid mahogany in the dull finish. The regular price is \$21, but for Wednesday and Thursday, as a June Sale feature, we have lowered the price to \$15.75.

Fourth Floor

Notion Day Tomorrow

You know what that means—BIG savings on little things. Here's the list of low prices. No phone nor mail orders, please.

Coats' Chain Thread—200-

yard spools—black or white—

all numbers; dozen...25c

(Two dozen to a customer.)

8 yards giant Cotton Tape, bolt...3c

Wire Hair Pins—16 papers

to a bundle—per bundle, 5c

Defiance Safety Pins; all

sizes—3 papers for...5c

Silk Hair Nets with elastic

all shades; 2 for...5c

Fancy Dust Caps; embroidery

trimmed...10c

Felt covered Coat Hang-

ers...5c

Turkish Wash Towels; 3

for...10c

Sampson's Pins, 400 to a

paper; 5 papers for...10c

Sanitary Cheese Cloth in

3-yard packages...8c

Gilbert's \$1.50 and \$2.00

Shoulder Braces...75c

25c heavy twine Shopping

Bags; wire frames...19c

Human Hair Nets, large

sizes...5c

Good quality Dress Shields,

sizes 2, 3 and 4; per pr., 10c

25c and 35c Shears and

Scissors—various styles, good

qualities...19c

Grandma's ironing wax

pads...3c

Main Floor, Aisle 3.

\$18.00 Dinner Sets, \$12.75

Exactly thirty 100-piece sets of finest semi-porcelain ware; light in weight with bread and butter plates; five new effective wide border decorations, on the new plain shape.

Jelly Glasses

25c dozen 1/2-pint size, dozen, 16c

30c dozen 1/2-pint size, dozen, 18c

Fruit Jars

E. Z. Seal style, with glass

lids.

55c doz. 1/2-pint size, 45c

65c doz. pint size, 50c

75c doz. quart size, 59c

Mason Fruit Jars

With lids and rubbers.

50c pint size, doz., 39c

60c quart size, doz., 42c

85c 1/2 gal. doz., 69c

Fifth Floor

Sale of CUT GLASS COMPOTES

7, 8 and 9 inch high Footed Compotes; bought under their regular worth; of highest grade cut glass; in exquisite new floral combination and miter cutting, with satin finished flowers and polished leaves and stems.

7-inch Compotes—\$4.50 value...\$2.95

8-inch Compotes—\$5.00 value...\$3.19

9-inch Compotes—\$5.50 value...\$4.25

Fifth Floor

Basement Economy Store

A June Sale Extraordinary of Women's

Palm Beach and Sport Suits

Offering Three Crowd-Compelling Groups at

\$3.95

\$5.00

\$7.50

Values to \$7.50

Values to \$10

Values to \$12.50

Cool, practical, summery suits in a wide variety of the most approved models introduced this season; Norfolk, pleated back and flaring effects; materials are genuine Palm Beach in natural and stripes; white gaberdine with coat trimmed in stripes and striped wash crepe in blue, green and rose; suits that are accurately tailored and are brimful of style. The values are truly extraordinary at the prices quoted for Wednesday's busy selling.

Basement Economy Store



The June Sale Offers

25c Wash Goods for 15c Yd.

36-inch Beach Cloth; tan and cream—

25-inch Devonshire Cloth; mill remnants—

43-inch stripes and plaid Voiles—

32-inch Kinderkarden Cloth; blue only—

25-inch Sampson Galatea; remnants—

Wednesday, choice of any at yard...

Waffle Cloth, 12 1/2c

Heavy quality, for skirts, in pink, blue, tan, green, etc.; 26 inch; 35c

40-In. Printed Organdie, 11c

25c kind; in mill remnants 2 1/2 to 10 yards; in sport stripes and figures.

Remnants 35c Wash Goods, 17c

40-inch, satin-striped voiles, rice cloths, etc., with floral effects.

Basement Economy Store

Women's White

Waists

45c

New styles, every one. Of white voiles, lawn, organdie, and novelty stripes. Some with frills, others trimmed with lace and embroidery. All have long sleeves. Sizes 34 to 46—and an exceptional value at 45c each.

Basement Economy Store

Victor Records

Sealed and Sanitary

Come in and hear them in our ideal demonstration rooms. Better service—always.

Sixth Floor

Famous and Barr Co.

ENTIRE BLOCK: OLIVE, LOCUST, SIXTH AND SEVENTH STS.

Largest Distributors of Merchandise at We Give Eagle Stamps & Redem Full Books for \$2 in Cash or Retail in Missouri or the West. \$2.50 in Merchandise—Few Restricted Articles Are Excepted.

\$3 and \$3.75 Lace Curtains, \$2 a Pair

Your choice of 60 new patterns—in art filet, French cable net, point d'esprit, embroidered Marquisette, French guipure, Saxony, Egyptian and Brussels net. Handsome patterns—in white, ivory, ceru, beige and Arabian. All new—and an unusual value at \$2 a pair.

Fourth Floor

PEDESTRIAN HELD TO HAVE THE SAME RIGHTS AS AUTOS

St. Louis Court of Appeals Af-
firms \$3500 Judgment Ob-
tained by Music Teacher.

A pedestrian has as much right in the
street as an automobile. This conclu-
sion was reached today by the St. Louis
Court of Appeals, in a decision by
Judge Reynolds, who affirmed a \$3500
judgment which Miss Josephine Carra-
dine of 5725 McPherson avenue, a music
teacher, got in the Circuit Court from
Mr. and Mrs. John W. Ford Jr. for in-
juries received when run down by an
electric coupe driven by Mrs. Ford Oct.
27, 1912.

The Fords, in their appeal, had con-
tended that the vehicle had rights in
the highway superior to the rights of
pedestrians, and that the music teacher
had shown contributory negligence.

This theory of the superior rights of
vehicles in streets, Judge Reynolds said

In his opinion "had its origin in feudal
times and monarchial countries when
the common people trudged along the
highways on foot, and the kings and
queens, and their nobles and courtiers,
rode over them."

"This is not so in our day, and espe-
cially in our republic. With us all have
an equal right to the use of public
highways, and each must use them with
due regard to the rights of others, as
well as a safeguard to the safety of
others."

"People driving vehicles propelled by
animal or mechanical power must have
due regard to the safety of pedestrians,"
Judge Reynolds stated the evidence
showed that Mrs. Ford was driving 20
miles an hour, and not using the highest
degree of care.

The accident was at Washington
boulevard and Pendleton avenue, when
Miss Carradine, who is now 24 years old,
was crossing the street. Miss Carradine
sued for \$30,000, contending the injury
had caused a permanent scar over the
right eye and a drop in one of the eye-
lids. Miss Carradine is a daughter of
the Rev. Beverly Carradine.

Ford is president of the Ford Mfg. Co.
and lives at 5833 Clemens avenue.

Woman Robs Boy, 5, of \$8.50.

James Ryan Jr., 5 years old, of 310

Biddle street, found his mother's purse

containing \$8.50 yesterday afternoon and

was playing store with the money in

front of the Ryan home when a woman

passerby snatched the money.

RUSSIANS FIGHTING 600,000 ON LINE 250 MILES LONG

New Offensive Campaign
Along the Southwestern
Battle Front Extends From
the Pripet Marshes to the
Rumanian Border.

Engagements Extend Entire
Length and Czar's Troops
Have Captured 25,000
Prisoners.

Report Says That on the Cau-
casus Front the Turks
Made Unsuccessful At-
tacks With Large Forces.

PETROGRAD, via London, June 6.—
The Russians continue to develop the
successes won by their new offensive
against the Germans. It is reported that
up to the present time they have cap-
tured 450 officers, 25,000 men, 17 cannon
and 15 machine guns.

It is estimated that the Russians on
the southwestern battle front are op-
posed by forces numbering between 800,
000 and 600,000. The line between the Pri-
pet marshes and the Rumanian border is
more than 250 miles in length.

A War Office statement issued last

night says:

"Sunday morning an engagement be-
gan on the front from the Pripet to the

Rumanian frontier, supported by artil-
lery. Our troops obtained successes on

many important sectors and took 13,000

prisoners and a number of guns and

machine guns. In the development of

the engagement our artillery destroyed

successive enemy shelter works, en-
abling our infantry to capture enemy

positions.

"In the course of the fighting our

brave commander, Col. Lourie, was

killed and Col. von Tzigler was seri-
ously wounded.

"Ezrinan the troops repeatedly attacked

with strong forces, but without success.

An engagement on Barnaband road

continues. Near Rivandona the fight-
ing also continues. Our troops have in-
flicted heavy casualties on the Kurds.

One of our columns found two mountain

guns buried."

GERMANS AGAIN
DRIVING BRITISH
BACK AT YPRES

BRITISH HEADQUARTERS IN
FRANCE, via London, June 6.—The

British and Germans are fighting

hard in the region of Ypres, where

last Saturday the British in hand-to-

hand encounters and with the aid of

bombs, recaptured most of the

trenches the Germans previously had

taken from them in the sector from

the Ypres-Comines Canal to Hooge

Point.

In the face of repeated attacks the

Canadian troops have been unable to

retain the bulk of the recaptured

ground, but are still fighting stren-
uously to keep what they have and

to recapture what they have lost.

French Repulse Two Attacks Between
Fort Vaux and Dambloup.

PARIS, June 6.—Two attacks by the

Germans on the French lines between

Fort Vaux and Dambloup, on the Verdun

front, were repulsed by the French last

night, according to an official statement

issued by the War Office today. The

heavy bombardment of Fort Vaux con-
tinues, with intermittent cannonading,

on the west front.

The statement follows:

"On the right bank of the Meuse two

German attacks last night against our

positions between Vaux and Dambloup

resulted in complete failure.

No change has been recorded in the

situation at Fort Vaux, which the en-
emy is bombarding with violence.

"There has been continued intermit-
tent cannonading on the remainder of

the front."

The official communication issued

by the War Office last night reads:

"On the front, north of Verdun, bad

weather hindered the operations.

There was no infantry action during

the course of the day. The bombard-
ment continued with considerable in-
tensity in the region of Vaux and

Dambloup and on the Vaux front,

where the situation is unchanged.

"On the left bank of the Meuse

there was in intermittent artillery

duel in the Avescourt sector. The day

was calm on the rest of the front."

Destroyer Germans Claimed to Have
Sunk British Destroyer.

LONDON, June 6.—The British de-
stroyer Acasta, which the Germans

claimed to have sunk, has arrived at a

northeast coast port under tow of an-
other destroyer. A shell which put her

out of action in the fight exploded in

the engine room, killing five men.

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Roas-Gould List & Letter Co., 310 Olive.
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simile Letters.

Woman's Council to Elect.
The last quarterly meeting of the
Woman's Council will be held at the
American Annex tomorrow. Officers will
be elected.

"AS YOU LIKE IT" MAY HAVE TO BE POSTPONED AGAIN

Two Hours of Sunshine Needed
to Dry Out Grounds if No
More Rain Falls.

Under the greenwood tree,
Who loves to lie with me,
Come hither, come hither,
Here shall he see
No enemy
But winter and rough weather.

From "As You Like It."

Rough weather, the enemy of the
Pageant Drama Association, made a
second drive today, and seemed likely
to cause tonight's performance of "As
You Like It" in the new open-air mu-
nicipal theater, in Central Forest Park,
to be called off, as last night's perfor-
mance was.

Following a violent rain at the lunch

hour, the officers of the association an-
nounced that the public could learn, by

calling up "information" on the Kin-
loch telephone system after 6 p. m.,

whether a performance will be given

tonight. Two hours of sunshine is needed

to dry out the grounds. The Bell

Telephone Co. it was stated, will give

this information to members of the cast,

but will not undertake to give it to the

general public. How the operators are

going to know the difference between

the cast and the public was not ex-
plained.

Several Hundred in Cast.

Several hundred St. Louis amateurs are

in the auxiliary cast, and their principal

part is to present a folk-dancing

epilogue after the play. If tonight's

performance is postponed, the first of

the eight presentations of "As You Like

It" will be given tomorrow night, as-
suming that the rain stops tomorrow,

as the weather man thinks it will.

Seats for last night's performance are

good for next Monday night, or can be

changed for an earlier date at the ticket
office, 202 North Seventh street. The
same professional cast, including Mar-
garet Anglin, Robert Mantell and Fre-
deric Lewis, will appear every night and
at the Saturday matinee. The time for
beginning the night performance is 8
o'clock, the music beginning at 7:45.

If a performance is given tonight,
the amateur cast for the community
dancing epilogue will be that originally
scheduled for tonight, and last night's
cast will make its first appearance
Wednesday. Mrs. Lawrence T. Post,
chairman of the Committee on Dancing,
said today that each division would
appear on the nights originally sched-
uled for it.

Governor to Be Here Tonight.

Tonight has been designated as civic

night, and Mayor Kiel and members of
the Board of Aldermen have been in-
vited to occupy boxes. Gov. Major has
accepted an invitation for tonight.

A number of visitors from Baltimore
are to see "As You Like It" tomorrow

night. It was announced today. Mrs.
Jerome H. Joyce is at the head of the
party, which is said to be coming here

expressly to see the open-air theater,
with a view to establishing a similar
one in Baltimore.

J. J. HILL LEFT NO WILL
FOR \$10,000,000 ESTATE

ST. PAUL, June 6.—James J. Hill,
the railroad builder, who died last week,

did not leave a will. His widow, this
afternoon filed a petition in Probate

Court of Ramsey County, asking that
her son, Louis W. Hill, president of the
Great Northern Railroad Co., be ap-
pointed administrator of the estate, the

value of which is placed at \$10,000,000.

The petition was also signed by the
eight children.

HEMSTITCHING while you wait, 5c per
yd. on straight work, curtains, table cloths,
sheets, pillow cases, flume Co., 620 N. 3rd way.

Class Presents Play.

"Arms and the Man," by Bernard
Shaw, was presented by the second di-
vision of the senior class of the Kirk-

wood High School at St. Peter's Hall
last evening. A Chinese play, "The
Feast of Lanterns," was given Saturday

evening by the first section of the senior
class.

TORNADO KILLS 50 AND INJURES 250 IN ARKANSAS

Largest Loss of Lives Reported
Is From Heber, Where 20
or 25 Met Death.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., June 6.—At least
50 persons are believed to be dead and
250 injured in a series of tornadoes that
swept through 10 or more counties in
Arkansas late yesterday. Crippled com-
munication is delaying details.

At Judsonia, a town of about 800 in-
habitants, 50 miles northeast of Little
Rock, on the Iron Mountain Railroad

One-third of the town is destroyed.
Eight negroes were killed and 50 whites

and negroes injured.

Between 20 and 25 white persons are
reported to have been killed at Heber
Springs, on the Missouri & North Ar-
kansas Railroad, in Northern Arkansas,

and about 50 injured.

Three white persons and two negroes
were killed in Dallas County, in the
south central part of the State.

At Hot Springs four were killed and
eight injured. Three are known to be
dead near Cabot, between Little Rock

and Judsonia.

A white woman was killed and six
were injured at Greenland, in Washing-
ton County, in the northwestern part

of the State.

At Morrilton, 40 miles northwest of
Little Rock, two negroes were killed
and a white woman and several children

were injured. Only the extreme eastern
and southern portions of the State ap-
pear to have escaped.

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\$10.00 Premo Camera, 3 1/4 x 4 1/4 size, very special at \$8.50

50c Vest Pocket Leather Al-
bums, now at 35c

\$1.25 Flashlight, with battery,
priced at 85c

25c and 35c Pocketknives,
choice at 10c

Leatherette Lunch Case, with
Themos Bottle \$2.25

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ing center.

THE MACHINERY

Mechanical equipment and all other personal property is in good condition, though
not all modern. The sale will take place upon the premises, South Eleventh street,
near the corner of Garfield avenue, on Thursday, the 15th day of June, 1916, regard-
less of any condition of the weather, commencing promptly at 11 o'clock in the
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Unsatisfactory Compensation Laws.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Speaking editorially on the settlement made in the case of Miss Marie Moentmann, in your issue of May 22, you say:

"It may also be added that a just workman's compensation law would have saved money for the employers and worry and law costs for both parties."

It might be interesting to see how this unfortunate girl would have fared in those enlightened states that have adopted "a just workman's compensation law," for it is hardly possible that all the states have adopted "unjust" laws of this character. In New Hampshire, New Jersey, Minnesota and Nebraska she would have received one-half of her weekly wage for a period not exceeding 500 weeks, assuming that she was earning \$10 per week, under these "just" laws she would have been deemed fully compensated for the loss of both her arms by the payment of \$1,500, doled out to her at \$5 per week. In Massachusetts, Michigan, Nevada and Rhode Island, on the same assumption or earnings, she would have received \$5 per week for 500 weeks, or at the outside a total of \$2,500; in Texas, Kansas and Iowa, \$5 per week for not to exceed 400 weeks, or a total of \$2,000; in Arizona \$5 per week, but not over \$4,000 in all; in Illinois, \$5 per week, but not over \$2,500 in all; in Ohio, \$6.66 per week, but not over \$3,750 in all; in Oregon \$30 and in Washington \$20 per month during disability; in Maryland, \$5 per week; New York, \$6.66 per week, and Wisconsin, \$6.50 per week, during disability and in West Virginia, not less than \$3 nor more than \$6 per week during disability.

You may be right in saying that "a just workman's compensation law" would have saved money for her employers, but how about Miss Moentmann? Would you call any law "just" that pensioned a helpless cripple at less than the price of decent existence, limited that pension to a period at the utmost limit of eight years, and then left her to beg for the balance of her life or die of starvation?

No right thinking person would say that even the most liberal compensation laws now in force in the various states would have afforded anything like the compensation for the injuries Miss Moentmann sustained, and if the people of Missouri understand the true nature and workings of these laws they will not be in a hurry to adopt them.

A. R. R.

City Dogs.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Dr. Hutchinson says dogs in cities are miserable because they "have nothing to chase." "Rats!" Chickens are now raised in cities and many are killed by city dogs. ALBERT G. H. FREY.

No Intentional Malice.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

The alleged "joker" in section 15 of ordinance 28,804, relating to official oaths, seems to be a joke on its discoverer.

Section 15 of ordinance 28,804 is substantially a repetition of section 2271 of the Revised Code of St. Louis, 1912, which is identical with section 1675 of the Revised Code of St. Louis, 1907, which is identical with section 1578 of the Municipal Code of St. Louis, 1901, which is identical with section 1078 of the revised ordinance of 1887.

The sections cited from the revisions of 1912, 1907, 1901, 1893 and 1887 all required day laborers to take an oath of office just as much as section 15 of ordinance 28,804; and as neither section 3 of article 8 of the new charter, nor any other provision of the new charter, requires any change in the law in that respect, none was made. The wisdom of the legislative body in the past enacted and periodically re-enacted this provision of the law. If the wisdom of the legislative body determines at the present time that such a change ought to be made, the Board of Aldermen will doubtless enact an ordinance introducing such alteration of the law.

It was not my function to legislate, but only to suggest such changes as are necessitated by the new charter. Section 15 of ordinance 28,804 does not conflict with the new charter. It is, therefore, invalid and can be ignored. It is, therefore, malicious as well as ridiculous to say that the city will lose any money through waste of day laborers' time in complying therewith.

HUGH K. WAGNER.

Principle Backed by a Great Nation.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

The fact that Mr. Wilson is just now holding up the entire German submarine warfare upon the merchantmen and unarmed vessels by the strength of his word alone shows the mighty powers of principle.

Honor to him whose moral force can outweigh the power of cannon and slaughter.

B. HELEN TYPE.

PROHIBITION BY TRICKERY.

Friends of F. D. Gardner, candidate for the Democratic nomination for Governor, charge that the Anti-Saloon League is making a fight on him because he refused to sign a secret pledge to approve a state-wide prohibition bill with the "peace, health or safety" clause attached. The Rev. W. C. Shupp, superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League, put to Mr. Gardner and other gubernatorial candidates the following question:

Will you sign a state-wide prohibition bill with the "peace, health or safety" clause attached and some other reasonable temperance legislation in case the Legislature passes them?

This pledge, the signing of which the candidates were assured would be regarded as confidential, was to determine the attitude the Anti-Saloon League would take toward the candidate. He would be opposed if he refused to sign it. No candidate for Governor could sign a pledge of this kind without stultifying himself and betraying the people of the State.

In effect the pledge means the nullifying of the referendum, the great measure adopted by the Legislature and control legislation. It is a direct attack upon the measure which the people have won to prevent the very thing the pledge is intended to gain—the making of laws obnoxious to the people, inimical to their interest or contrary to the popular will.

All laws are subject to the referendum and may be referred to the people, upon petition, "except as to laws necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety." The exception is intended to apply to great emergencies which require immediate action. Certainly prohibition, which has been a subject of discussion and legislation for several generations, is not one of them. The effort to put such legislation under the exceptions is a palpable trick to prevent the people from voting on the subject and to defeat the popular will.

No wonder the pledge is sought under secrecy—not otherwise could the trick be played. The scheme will not bear light.

What candidates for Governor have signed this pledge? What candidate would secretly pledge himself to sign a bill framed to prevent the people from exercising their constitutional right to pass upon it and to nullify direct legislation? What candidate is willing to trick the people? The people of Missouri ought to know the names of candidates who are willing to gain votes through a conspiracy of this kind.

ADVERTISING WITH THE ADVERTISERS.

Mayor Kiel is going to Philadelphia to make a fight to obtain the 1917 convention of the World's Advertising Clubs.

It is a convention well worth having. As nothing succeeds like success, nothing advertises like advertisers. One of the principal needs of St. Louis is advertising outside—it has the substance, the merits, the "goods." It has modestly neglected to blow its own horn, as windier and less worthy cities have done. The presence of an advertising convention will be a big noise, of itself, and will convert an army of experts into traveling agents and trumpeters of St. Louis' virtues.

SMOKING HUGHES OUT.

The effort of the Bull Moosers to smoke Hughes out is going on merrily at Chicago. So far, success is lacking, though considerable ingenuity and resourcefulness have been shown. The suspicion that if Hughes is nominated the smoking out activities begun during the convention will become a necessary and most important feature of the campaign and will continue to the very eve of the election is unusually depressing.

[Supposing that the cohorts should be reduced to the hideous extremity of trying to smoke him out with the usual brand of convention cigars and that this should also continue to the eve of election.

THE SKAGERAK LESSONS.

The sea lords of London and Berlin have made accounts to settle with each other and with their respective nations. For their own purposes they may distort or conceal the truth and in the light of more impressive conflicts later on the facts of May 31 may become of minor importance.

Enough is admitted on both sides, however, to enforce upon the American Congress and people a lesson which they have sorely needed. In this battle the British have gained knowledge at fearful cost. Others should find instruction in their experience.

We know that powerful cruisers, useful and necessary as they are, cannot be pitted against superdreadnoughts. We know that great battle-ships held at remote bases are not likely to be at hand when needed. We know that aircraft and submarines are of immense service for scout duty and attack.

Whatever the purpose of the commander of the British cruiser squadron may have been, he committed an amazing blunder in bringing on an engagement for which he was not equipped. There is nothing in sea power unless its possessor is always in force equal or superior to the enemy at all points of contact. To be otherwise in action in which he takes the initiative is foolhardy.

What happened off Jutland was that the British cruisers met German dreadnoughts with consequences that might have been foretold. When British dreadnoughts arrived on the scene there was a running fight, with results not yet clearly known except in a general way, but here again the weight of metal was the determining factor, and it was the German fleet that finally sought refuge in its harbors.

The House of Representatives has provided for five great battle cruisers, of which we have

none. We want battle cruisers for the work of battle cruisers, which, in a wisely governed navy, must always be identical. For hard hitting and therefore for true defense, there must be superdreadnoughts, and for this type of ship the House made no appropriation.

This is a monstrous error which the Senate Committee of Naval Affairs is already taking steps to correct. The great price that Britain has paid in life, property and prestige for the misuse or nonuse of its superdreadnoughts and for its deficiency in aircraft and submarines should make wise legislation on this subject at Washington almost a matter of routine.

KITCHENER'S DEATH.

The loss of Lord Kitchener is a heavy blow to Great Britain and her allies—heavier perhaps from a moral than a material standpoint. As the head of the War Department in the greatest war of history and organizer of the greatest British war forces, he was a big figure in the empire. He has loomed large for years in building, defending and organizing the empire.

Doubtless Kitchener is bigger in the British mind than in actual power to serve the empire. He has been subjected to harsh criticism. Strong and efficient, he was trained in the older school of military direction. He had qualities that limited his usefulness. Much of the work he originally undertook had been taken out of his hands. His strength lay in the confidence of the people, his experience and unswerving creed of strenuous labor.

It may be that his passing will open the way of leadership to younger men, with modern ideas and methods and with better training for the complicated problems of modern army organization and warfare. Time will tell. No man is indispensable, but Kitchener, in the present British crisis, seems to have been as near that point as any man ever was. His death will bring a cloud of gloom to Great Britain and to every capital and camp of her allies.

Thousands more slain. Thousands more widows. Thousands more orphans. More distress, more suffering, more debt. "Let us have peace."

THE VOICE OF "GOLDEN LANE."

On their way from St. Louis' leading hotels to the hall where they will meet from day to day, the delegates to the National Democratic Convention, on June 14, will pass through a "Golden Lane," composed of women. Both sides of the street will be lined with earnest women, workers in the world-wide woman suffrage movement, in a unique, a touching demonstration in the interest of that advance in woman's activities which, through her entrance into politics, is expected to benefit mankind, especially in all those fields of human effort in which woman, as mother, sister, wife or daughter, is profoundly affected.

During the growth of the woman suffrage movement, many diverse methods have been tried in the effort to impress upon politicians and statesmen how intense is the desire of millions of women to do their part in the organized government of the world. Women's voices have been lifted, the printing press has been kept busy, and even violence has played its part. Now, in St. Louis, a new method, that of Golden Lane, a simple, quiet, dignified appeal to the sense of sight, is to be tried. And it should be effective. All has been said that can be said. Noise and display and violence have had their day. Every thinking man knows that woman's demand for the vote is a reasonable demand that must be complied with.

The movement for Woman Suffrage is international, universal and destined to success. During 1915 it made tremendous strides, especially in the United States. It cannot be stayed or stopped. It will be the part of wisdom for all three of the national conventions to recognize this by advocating suffrage for women in the national platforms. And especially the Democratic party, which champions popular government, should concede to the hitherto disfranchised half of the people the right to share in popular government.

The Colonel talks so much that it is not impossible for him to forget some of the little things he says.

THE TENTH MISS ROACH.

The arrival of the new member in the family of Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Roach increases rather than diminishes the ratio of the Roach girls to the Roach boys. While the boys remain stationary at the number of four, the count of girls shows 10 instead of nine.

Has Missouri another family as interesting as this family of 14 bright, well-endowed children of which the Missouri Secretary of State is the head? Undoubtedly it will have future distinction in State history, as well as celebrity in the present.

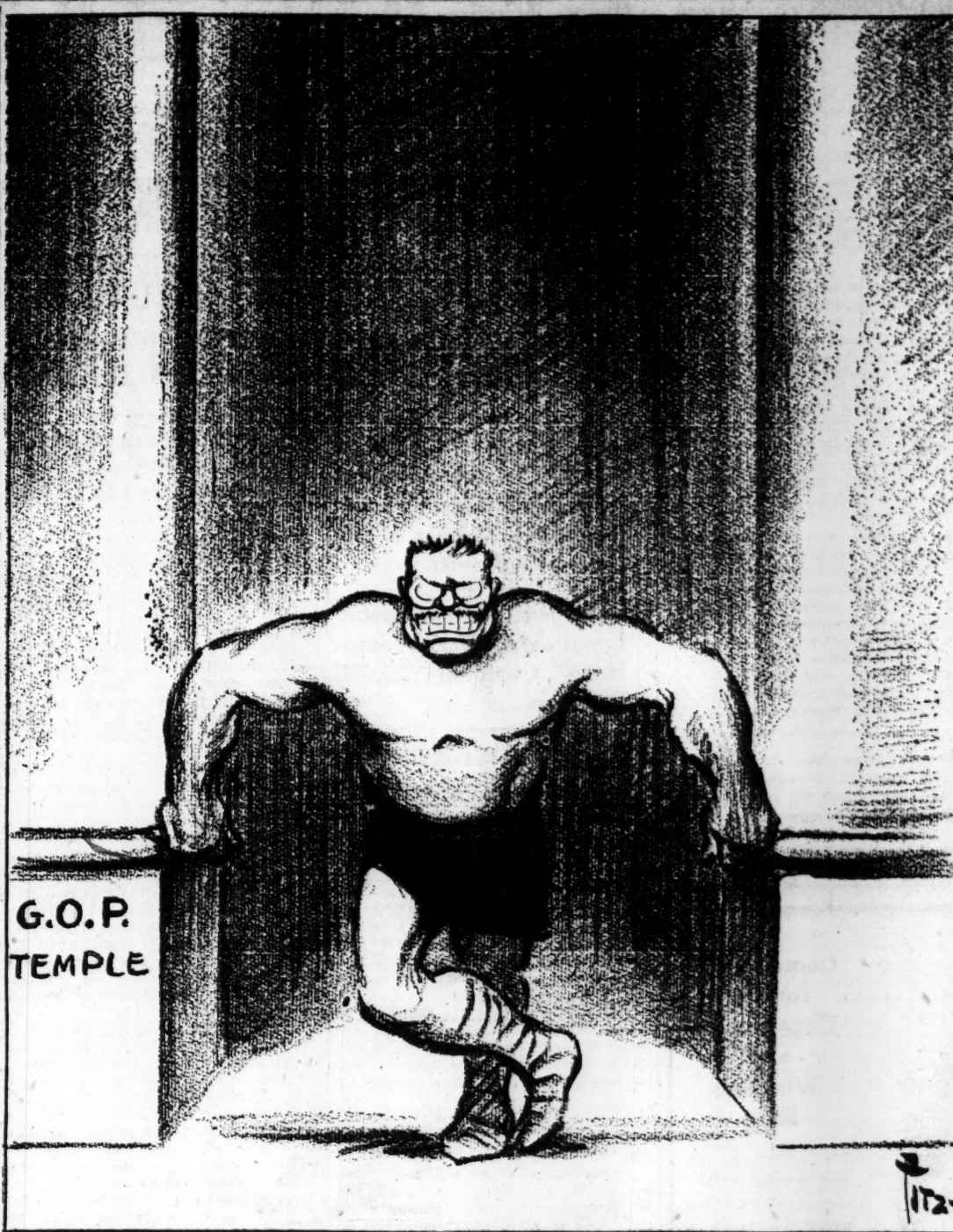
Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Roach on the tenth Miss Roach, who comes on the scene at an opportune time to supply her father with the fourteenth reason for his election to the Governorship.

ST. LOUIS AS A MINING CENTER.

The sale to the owners of the American Zinc, Lead and Smelting Co. of the Granby Mining and Smelting Co.'s properties, including smelting plants, coal lands in Illinois, gas territory in Kansas and mineral lands in Missouri and Arkansas, apparently is a prelude to a closer centralization of the mining of these states. The extent to which the public is interested and the effect on consumers cannot be told until later.

But evidence that may be startling to the uninformed on the magnitude of the mining industry in territory of which St. Louis is the center is afforded by this one deal. For the properties of this single Granby company no less than \$7,500,000 was paid. The importance of mining to the prosperity of this city is shown by the fact that earnings of the properties last year are estimated at more than \$1,500,000. Granby stock valued at \$15 or less two decades ago advanced in later years to \$100, and the late sale of it was made on a basis of \$375.

The import of these figures is easily grasped. The past growth and present profitability of mines controlled in St. Louis or having their headquarters here have been equalled in few mining districts of the United States. And undoubtedly the high point in the values placed on these rich deposits has not yet been reached.



SAMSON: "LET 'EM START SOMETHING!"

JUST A MINUTE

Written for the POST-DISPATCH by Clark McAdams

PANETELA

N O, Luella,
Theodorus
Is not doing
Very well;
What the trouble
Is, my dearie,
Would be difficult
To tell.
Though the issues
He created
Need his leadership
To win,
People mean
Enough to quibble
Hesitate to
Let him in.

Never mind,
My dear Luella,
He may rally
In a day;
Mr. Barnes
And Mr. Penrose
May not have
The final say.
Someone speaking
For the people
May assault
The twin with gas,
And the logical
Denouement
Thus come
Happily to pass.

Simply nominating
Someone
For the sake
Of beating Ted,
Is not always
To avail them
Where the battlefield
Is red;

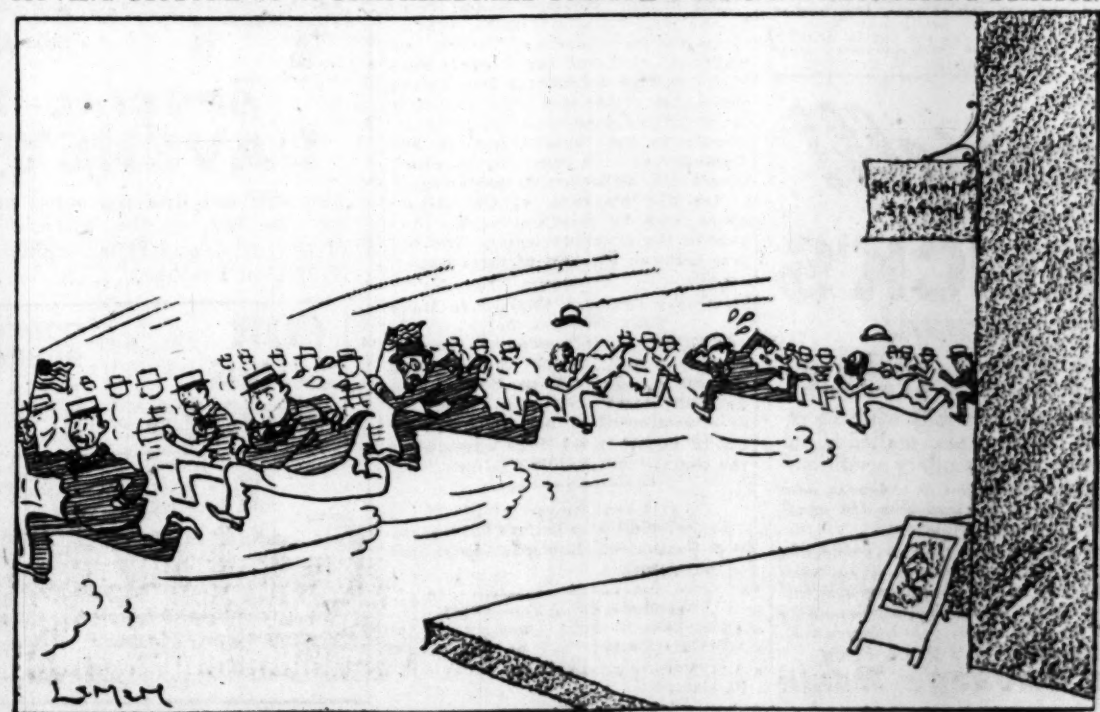
Though it is
A war of bosses,
And revenge
Is mighty sweet,
Nothing else
Is quite so bitter
To the party
As defeat.

Save your Teddy Bear,
Luella,
Till the final
Die is cast;
It is possible
You'll need it
As a fetish
At the last,
Theodorus,
Little girlie,
Is a politician,
Too,
And because
They have him going
Doesn't argue
He is through.

Like as not
He has a tunnel
Underneath
The silent Hughes,
And is only
Calmly waiting
For the time
To light the fuse.
Keep your eye
Upon the skyline
While the battle
Rages thick,
And in case
Of an explosion,
Look out, dearie,
For the stick!

Jellicoe seems to have been hammered into a jelly.

MOVING PICTURE OF A PREPAREDNESS PARADE PASSING A RECRUITING STATION.



ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS

CLEANSING.

PAGE.—Remove ink and dye stains by dipping fingers in warm water, then bling on hands a small portion of cold acid powder and cream of tartar, mix together in equal quantities. (For out.)

GREEN SHADES.—One says: Stretch green window shades taut and scrub with gasoline (where there is no light or fire). Another says: colored Holland shade on a kitchen table and scrub the soiled parts with a good soap, water and soft brush.

HEALTHY HINTS.
M. A. R. T.—Clinics for free treatment (dental included): National University, Garrison and Lawton; Washington University, Barnes Hospital, St. Louis University, Grand and Carroll.

W. A. H.—Health Culture says: If face warts are small, the quickest treatment is to take them off with a small, sharp curette, an operation which requires some skill and experience. In many cases a diet composed of oat meal, bread, and potatoes, with no fruit, and the usual vegetables, and only plain water as drink, acts favorably, even clears the skin if used long enough.

READER.—(Supplemental.) Dr. A. H. Koch finds the formula given you is poisonous. He says: "For the reader for excessive perspiration the use of a 1 per cent solution of formaldehyde as a lotion, dry off with a dust the affected parts with a powder composed of equal parts of sub-sulfate of bismuth, powdered boracic acid and purified talcum. I think this will give satisfaction."

M. C.—Anemia, chiefly the result of a badly chosen dietary, and the trouble can be averted—and even cured—by the persistent eating of spinach, lentils, limes, black currants, dromedars and of all fruit and vegetables containing iron. The cause of bloodlessness should be removed, and there should be rest, restricted exercise, fresh air, sunlight and a highly nutritious diet. Tonics of most value are iron, arsenic, quinine and strychnine. The carbonate of iron, 10 gr. (0.13-0.33 Gm.) is most employed, but Bland's pills, Basham's mixtures, tincture of chloride of iron, or other preparations of iron may be used. Great care should be taken to prevent constipation while any of the iron preparations are being taken. It is well to have the blood examined by a capable physician.

LAW POINTS.

M. D. M.—Phone Prosecuting Attorney, Municipal Courts phone.

A. M.—Contracts on installment furniture payments must be kept.

A. B.—Juror discharged cannot serve any more until again summoned.

THANK YOU.—Real estate held jointly passes to survivor and without necessity of Probate Court proceeding.

NEIGHBOR.—Tenant has no right to give permission to fill up a cistern, get that from the owner and keep away from possible trouble.

E. A. S.—Wife's wages may be garnished for debt she owes, judgment being obtained on same. Merely from what you state she is not the head of family entitled to 30 per cent exemption thereof.

SQUARE DEAL.—By serving notice on landlord to vacate at end of month, tenant was liable for double rent for every day over he kept possession; owner waived no right by tenant letting him put up and remove sign. Figuring allowance for gas fixtures tenant owes you \$10.

MISCELLANEOUS.

M. M.—Ask junk dealers; phone paper dealers.

H. H.—State Labor Bureau, Iowa, Des Moines.

C. C.—Author and Genealogist W. M. Clemens, 46 William street, New York.

W. A.—John D. Rockefeller is said to own five automobiles. We do not know the makes.

J. T. G.—By a complicated series of compounded gears a fly might start an automobile motor, but an electrical self-starter or hand crank will be about \$35.00 cheaper.

A. B. C.—Take some old article of celluloid (for instance, a comb) and break into a small quantity of grain alcohol (wood alcohol contains too much water). In a day or two it will be dissolved and will mend permanently anything to which it will adhere. One drop of this mixture applied to the kitchen table cloth a year and a half ago is still intact. By selecting celluloid of proper grade you can make any color of broken article may be matched.

ECONOMY.—Impossible to satisfactorily answer queries as to how much is enough for a family to live on. The economy habit is not acquired in a month or a year. Many who think themselves economical have little conception of economy. Most of us have some foolish expensive habit. Constant observation, with some exercise of brain, is necessary to successful economizing. A column would be required to note the economies that may be practiced by intelligent men and women.

DESK FOOLISH.—As to "sentences that are spoken but that cannot be written." You may speak "There are four two's," but how would you write it?—too, two or two? There are three cobs. How would you write cobs, cobb, or kob? There are four cravices; how would you write—cravies, crevis, cravass or cravies? There are three campaigns; how would you write—campaign, campane, or campaign? There are four callouses; how would you write—callous, callus, callie, callie? There are five tears; how would you write—tear, tere, tier, tear, or pter? There are three asses; how would you write—ass, asse, or as?

GEYER, AV. J.—Director Moore of the Missouri Botanical Garden says: It is extremely difficult to give specific directions on "how to keep a fern," since the treatment for different varieties varies considerably. In general, it should be that potted ferns should be carefully provided with drainage in order that water should not stand on the roots. While they require abundant moisture, nothing is so detrimental as having the roots actually stand in water. Of course, the chief difficulty with growing ferns is that the atmosphere is so dry. This may be obviated to a certain extent by sponging the leaves at least once a day and keeping pans of water on the radiators or stoves, in order that the air may contain at least some moisture. Cacti require no special care as they once become thoroughly established. Of course, their moisture requirements are almost negligible as contrasted with ferns; watering once a month or even less is quite sufficient. Should either of these plants be affected by a fungus or insect disease, special treatment would of course be required.

H. D. P.—To make white lead paint dry to perfectly dead flat on walls add a very little clear water to the paint and mix well with it. Beat up the lead as it comes from keg, stir in water until it combines with the lead, add color and driers, then thin with turpentine, says Master Painter. The water does no harm to the paint. Dead flat red for brickwork. It is customary to make a perfectly dead flat red for brickwork that is to be painted, but this is wrong, as it means the use of turpentine and a job not durable. Better make it half and half oil and turpentine; what little gloss the paint will have then a dead flat that will wear well. To make good flat water paint, take 50 pounds slaked whiting, place in tub and pour water over it until the mass is covered, allow this to stand several hours, say, over night, then pour off the excess water and add 2 gallons hard oil and 1 gallon turpentine. Use water color or dry color, not oil color. Thin the mass down to a brushing consistency with turpentine, benzole or kerosene, and it is ready for use. This will make a very nice, flat, lustrous finish as good as the much advertised water paints of the same character.

The Latent Instinct

A story showing that often we may theorize erroneously on the sort of man the child will grow to.

By Genevieve Ulmar.

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"W. what's the use?" blurted out Vernon Gray and wriggled and expressed misery generally.

"Belt still, son, we'll soon be through," remonstrated Prof. Archibald Montgomery, phrenologist and physiognomist.

Vernon winced and struggled and the learned savant felt his bumps and poked at his eyes and then gripped him all over to test his muscles.

"Now, you may go, son," directed the professor blandly, but Vernon lingered to shake his clenched fist after the receding form of his human torment, who had swooped down on Belleville to make his profoundly impressive and likewise a few dollars.

"The boy has a fine head and a good face," the listening Vernon heard the professor report to his father in the next room. "Under my own original test of concrete anthropology, however, he is minus in the gentler attributes—he has a latent instinct."

"What does that mean, if I may ask?" spoke Mr. Gray.

"The enunciation of a science of which I am the first exponent," responded the professor grandly. "It is based upon the theory that all humanity inherit or acquire animal traits. I have found them to exist in all my subjects. Some men resemble the serpent, the wolf, the fox, the lamb."

"And my boy?"

"Temper, my dear sir, temper to be curbed. That is his failing. The tiger, I should say, exists in your son to a degree—a noble monarch of the forest, sir, but, crossed, attacked, truly dangerous."

"H'm!" muttered Vernon, disbelievingly and departing. "I'm about as much a tiger as he is a lion! Bah!" and he made for the playground, while the professor collected \$2 from Mr. Gray for his erudite exposition of the make-up of his son.

The Tiger and the Wolf.

UNFORTUNATELY the learned pundit imparted his impressions to other parents, who had their sons "examined." He found all the animals shown in the geography in various stages of development in his subjects, and bird characteristics as well. He cut a wide swath. Then one day placid, non-belligerent Vernon had a boy walk up to him on the street.

"Say," observed the bully, "they say you're a tiger." "Well, according to professor I'm a wolf. Wow!"—and he "waded in."

He was a good deal bigger than Vernon, but the latter whipped him speedily, thoroughly and all over.

"The professor was right," pronounced Mr. Gray when Vernon came home, the victor, but savagely scratched up. "We must curb this propensity."

So Vernon's companionship with his fellows was circumscribed forthwith. He had to be in by dusk. He spent long evenings listening to advice and the reading of solid books. About three times a week a master came, purposely to deprecate "the wicked nature he must fight against."

Vernon got terribly tired of these methods. He comforted himself, however, by roaming in the woods. One day he roamed farther than usual, to some across a well fenced patch of ground with a rude hut in the center of it. He drew back with a shock.

He had never been there before. He had never seen the denizens of the house, but he had heard of them. Budd Nicholson, his past a mystery, had come there five years ago, always with his little child. He had ignored his neighbors, wrestling his living from the soil, he rarely went to town, and when he did his nods of recognition were sparing. He was recognized as half savage, a social outcast, and his daughter Irma was denominated as "that little demon."

Boon Companionship.

SHE seemed to inherit her strange father's animosity against humanity. Some boys had crossed their field in chase of a rabbit. Little Irma had pounced down upon the intruders, pummeled them with her tiny fists and had then thrown stones at them, forcing them to retreat.

"Don't you dare come over that fence into our land!" suddenly started Vernon, and looking up he recognized "the little demon" from description. She was barefooted, her hair was flying in the breeze, in her hand she held a menacing stick.

"I won't, ma'am," said Vernon, and then his humility or dejection or courteous tones attracted the girl.

"I'm not 'ma'am,' I'm only Irma," she called out quickly, "and I'll be friendly with you if you haven't come to call my father names and annoy him, because you act and talk so nicely."

And then Vernon found a boon companion, a witch of the wild whose company he sought and cherished all through the beautiful fall season. If she was a little demon to others, she proved a veritable angel of joy to Vernon. She knew every shady nook in the woods. Nature was to her an open book.

And then Vernon's father learned of the companionship. He started in "to whip the tiger," and Vernon, he alluded to "those outcasts, the Nicholson sons, with whom no respectable people would affiliate," and, locked in his room, weeping bitterly, Vernon sobbed to himself: "If I'm a tiger and Irma is a little demon, then we're one of a kind. I'll never forget her!"

He did not. The next day he received the announcement from his father that the following one he was to be sent away to school. Only once before his departure did Vernon see Irma and tell her his sorrowful story. The tears mingled. She gave him a four-leafed

clover as a token which he ever afterwards preserved. She said to him at parting:

"I can't live without you—so I'm going to get father to give me a chance in life and educate me and make me a fine lady, so you won't be ashamed of me when I am your wife."

Theories Don't Work Out.

VERNON went his way, Irma hers. Shortly afterwards Budd Nicholson disappeared from the village and Irma with him. There was a vague rumor as to an inheritance, later a clear one that the Nicholson were "living in style in the city," and that Budd Nicholson had come into his own.

"When I left Belleville," wrote Vernon to his father eight years later, a member of the bar and announcing his approaching marriage, "the tiger sentiment would have made me reckless but for the sweet, loyal influence of the lady who is to be my wife. It was destiny that I should meet her again in these later years. I am proud of my fiancée—Irma Nicholson."

And the Grays, father and mother, and all the town were proud of her too. She flashed down upon them a happy wife, and oh, "such a lady!" Irma had been born for elegance, and it befitted her. Her bright, quick nature had absorbed education hungrily. She had outstripped her classmates in intelligence and power.

"H'm," muttered Prof. Archibald Montgomery, when he learned the facts of the case. "My concrete anthropology theory don't seem to have worked out."

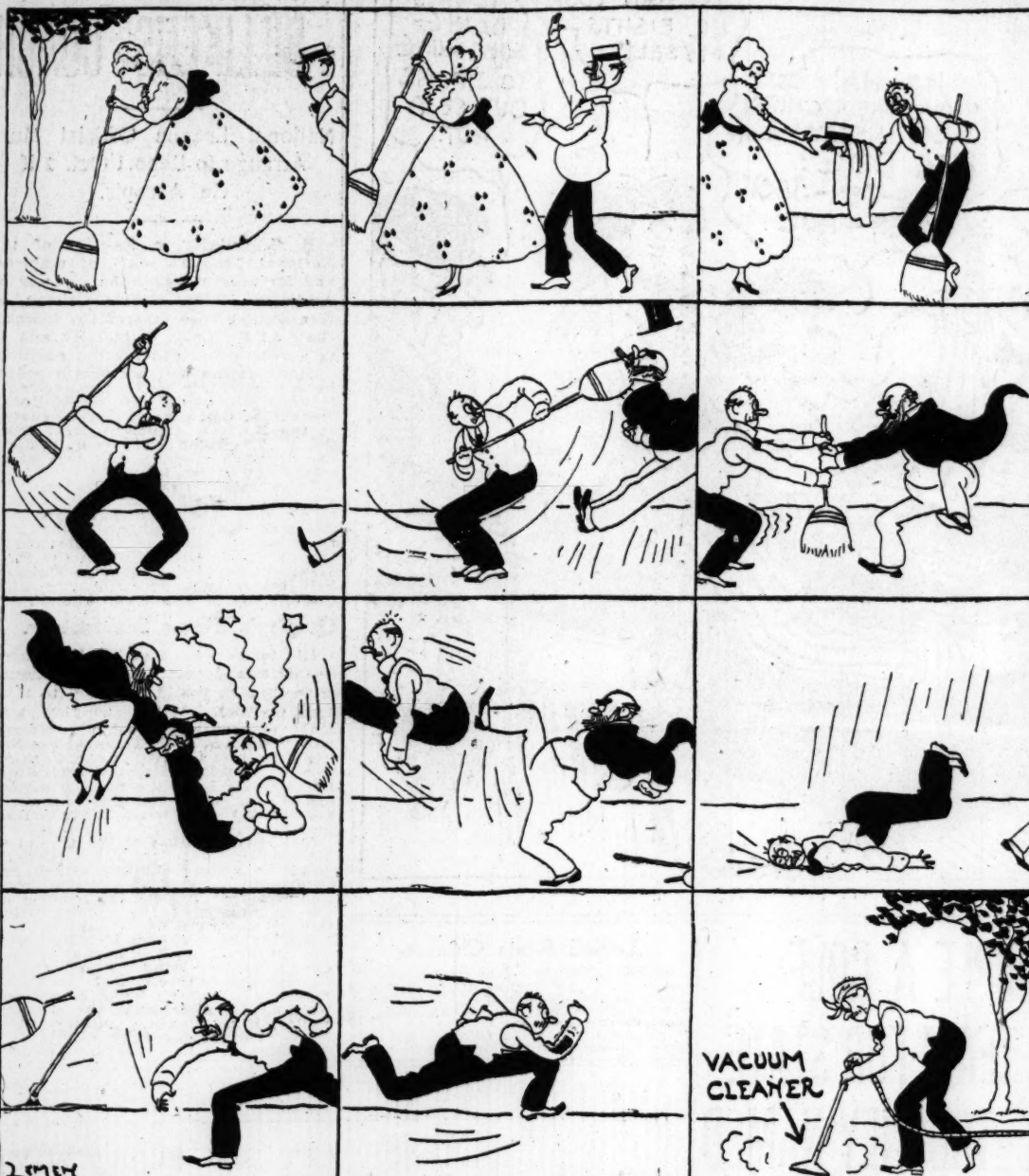
It had not, indeed. The wild human lamb he had tagged most of them developed into business lions of prey, the boy with the "serpent instinct" in him became a great minister, and "the majestic lion" had never got beyond a clerk's salary.

And Vernon and Irma—they were models of the gentle cooling dove, and gracious and kindly, and inestimably happy.

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Mr. Handy Husband

Drawn for the Post-Dispatch BY J. R. LEMEN.



Our National Conventions

The Story of Their Beginning and Development.

Lincoln, Douglas, and the Slavery Issue.

POLITICAL excitement never ran higher than during the national conventions of 1860, for the great issue of slavery, over which parties had compromised during a quarter of a century, could be evaded no longer and the supreme crisis of Civil War was at hand.

For the first time the people themselves took direct part in the proceedings. Ten thousand spectators swarmed in the Republican gathering at Chicago, and thousands more waited outside. The democratic scenes of cheering throngs, blaring brass bands and organized parades were then inaugurated.

The Democratic convention met first at Charleston, S. C., on April 21, and was the longest on record, eventually resulting in a split of factions.

It was a struggle between Northern and Southern members of the party, the slavery as the dividing question and rival candidates to represent each particular point of view. Stephen A. Douglas, Senator from Illinois, was the leading Northern candidate. Like many of his predecessors, he had played both sides of the issue, always seeking to avoid a "showdown" though in the end, when secession came, he turned against the slave states and called on all his followers to stand by Lincoln and the Union.

For a week the Charleston convention debated fiercely over the platform with the Democrats on one side and the Unionists on the other. When finally modified resolutions were adopted by votes of Northern Democrats, eight Southern States bolted and their delegates left the room to organize a convention of their own in another hall.

The regular convention continued in session for a second day, making ballots with Douglas always in the lead but lacking enough votes to win. Then after adopting resolutions requesting the seceding states to fill up their delegations, it adjourned to meet again in Baltimore, on June 18. The bolters likewise, fixing their adjourned session to meet in Richmond on June 11.

The Baltimore convention, after tumultuous scenes, contests over seating delegates and still another factional bolt, finally nominated Douglas for President and Senator Benjamin Fitzpatrick of Alabama for Vice President. The latter declined to serve, so the Democratic National Convention named the candidate, ex-Gov. H. V. Johnson of Georgia.

The Richmond convention of Southern Democrats nominated for President John C. Breckenridge of Kentucky, who was then Vice President under Buchanan, and Senator Joseph Lane of Oregon for Vice President. Thus each faction took for Vice President a man from the other's territory.

There was no such dissension in the Republican convention at Chicago, but the choice of Lincoln was one of those surprises that occur so often in national conventions when great leaders are set aside in favor of comparatively unknown men.

Senator William H. Seward unquestionably was the most noted figure in the new Republican party. He had the backing of Thurlow Weed, the old Whig boss, who made Presidents in the past, and the represented delegates were given seats to vote for six of the absent states.

Of the 12 candidates voted for on the first ballot, Seward led the list, but

Tommy's Tramp

By Mrs. F. A. Walker.

TOMMY was only 5 "going on 6," but he felt himself quite old. One bright spring morning Tommy woke up with the determination to venture down the long walk into the road.

The gate looked very far off, but presently he reached it and climbed up by the bar. His weight made it swing open wide. As it jerked, Tommy fell plump into the road and rolled into the dust.

"Hill, son, can't stand up either, can you?" croaked a shaky voice at the child's elbow. Tommy picked himself up and stood looking through his dusty eyes at a ragged figure seated on the roadside. It was that of a young man, whose face was red and dirty. His eyes were bleary as if he had not slept and his muddy clothes hung about him in rags. Tommy felt sorry for the man at once.

"Are you hungry?" he asked in a boyish way. The tramp smiled.

"Wait a minute," exclaimed Tommy, "and I will bring you some breakfast." The child disappeared up the flowery walk and the ragged tramp's face seemed to grow sad. In a moment the boy was back with a tin plate full of meat, bread, preserves, a bit of pickle and two rosy apples. And in about five minutes more all of it had disappeared down the throat of the hungry man.

"We have supper at 5 o'clock," explained Tommy, delighted to have done something all by himself. "And if you will come here to the gate I will bring you some like I did just now."

After supper Tommy remembered the tramp—the man would be waiting for him. So he stole into the kitchen and filled his tin pail with cold meat and biscuits.

"I am going up to get some of those apples, too," he said to himself, as he went up the creaky stairs that led to the storeroom over the kitchen. Before he had finished filling the pail he noticed that there was a glow shining between the planks and a smell of smoke; then tiny flames crept up the planks next to the stairs—the house was afire.

The cook and Tommy's mother, never dreaming he was in the garret over the kitchen, had run to the corner for help. When they returned they were filled with horror to see at the lighted window Tommy's terror-stricken face and hear his screams. The mother fainting, the cook shouted at the top of her voice, and in a moment the yard was full of persons.

It was impossible to reach the child—the fire had burned away the stairs and he must have fled over the far corner, for now no one could see his face at the window.

Just then a ragged form dashed through the crowd. It was Tommy's tramp.

Near the window was the wire of a telephone pole. Like a cat the tramp climbed the pole, balanced himself on the arm, and with a kick

Sandman story of the little boy whose life was saved by the poor outcast to whom he had been kind.

broke in the window pane. Then with a spring he landed in the garret. A cheer went up from the crowd. A moment more and the man appeared, staggering, and the smoke at the window, the flames singeing his hair.

"WATCH the boy!" he called. A dozen willing arms were outstretched as the unconscious form of Tommy was dropped into them. Then with a leap the man reached the wire and swung himself down.

By this time Tommy had opened his eyes and the father, called by phone, rushed up in an auto. Tommy and his tramp had a long talk after the lamps were lighted, and when the man came out of the bathroom an hour later after a shave and a suit of new clothing, he did not look like the same person. He was sober, and evidently now filled with grateful pride.

So Tommy's tramp saved the lad's life and this ended in making a new man of the outcast.

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Recipes Worth Trying

Veal Tongue a la Tartare—Have ready 6 veal tongues which have been boiled till tender, the skins removed and rolled and rolled neatly, pressed between two plates until cold. Dip each in egg and bread crumbs, brown well on each side in hot butter. Dish them upon cold tartar sauce, garnish with pickles and serve. They are delicious when cut in small bits and heated in a Hollandaise, Bechamel or any good sauce that can be made in a chafing dish.

Mock Lobster Stew—One quart milk thickened with 2 tablespoons flour, a generous piece of butter, 1 can crab meat cut in small pieces, pepper and salt to taste. Serve hot with small crackers.

Put the milk on to boil. When boiling, thicken with flour, wet with a little milk, put in butter and crab meat. Do not boil, but keep very hot.

Combination Vegetable Salads: Cut up equal portions of cucumber, tomato and celery and arrange on lettuce leaves. On this, sprinkle chopped nuts and chopped green peppers. Serve with a good boiled dressing.

Currant Loaf—Take 3 cups flour, 2-3 cup butter, 1/4 cup sugar, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1 cup cleaned currants, grated rind of 1 lemon, 2 teaspoons baking powder. Mix dry ingredients, rub in butter, add currants and lemon rind, mix to a very thick drop batter with cold milk. Turn into well-greased loaf pan and bake 1 hour in a moderate oven.

Corn Meal Doughnuts—A teaspoon and a half boiling milk poured over two teaspoons meal. When cool add 2 cups flour, 1 of butter, 1/4 of sugar, 3 eggs; flavor with cinnamon. Let rise until very light; roll about half an inch thick, cut in strips three inches long and twist. Boil in hot lard.

Monument to Adam.

THE first monument in America to Adam was erected in Gardenville, Md. The memorial to the claimed first of the species is a square of concrete with a sun dial on top and the inscription on one of its faces: "To the Memory of Adam, the First Man."

Just a Wife

Her Diary

CHAPTERS FROM A BRIDE'S LIFE-STORY

Edited by Janet Trevor.

CHAPTER VII.

JULY 10—I never knew how much I loved Ned until I nearly lost him. For my increase in understanding I suppose I should thank Miss Ruby Randall. But I am going to hate her for the rest of my life.

Yesterday afternoon Mrs. Higgins, owner, cook and butler of our boarding house in Sandport, knocked at my door. When I opened it she said, "Ruby Randall has come to call on you."

I must have looked the surprise I felt. For she added, in easy explanation, "Your husband knew her that vacation he spent here when he was in college. He was quite sweet on Ruby at the time, and she certainly made a dead set after him. She isn't never married, and folks do say—"

"Tell Miss Randall I'll be down at once," I hastily shut off the flow of confidences. Of course every wife knows that her husband has had friendships with other girls before he met herself, but that knowledge does not make her eager to hear details.

I found Miss Randall on the piazza a few minutes later. She is a tall young woman with a beautifully rounded figure and rather too high color. Perhaps I am prejudiced, but she looked a little coarse, I thought, and my impression was not changed by her affectively correct English.

"You must be lonely here, away from all your friends," she began. "Of course, I don't mean that anybody can be really lonely on a honeymoon," she added, with a laugh which perhaps only sounded satirical. "But I knew your husband so well—just a hint of emphasis on the last two words—that when I returned yesterday from a visit to Portland and heard you were stopping here, I thought I'd like to make your acquaintance."

"And renew acquaintance with Ned," was my following thought. Then I mentally called myself a cat, and tried to make up for what I considered my unworthy suspicions by being as nice as possible to Miss Ruby Randall.

A Swimming Party Planned.

SHE stayed all the afternoon, for she had brought her "work," country fashion, and she talked so intelligently when she wasn't telling me of her triumphs as school teacher and local belle. About 4 o'clock Ned returned from a fishing trip, the only one, so far, on which I hadn't accompanied him. As he came rather tiredly up the steps of the piazza he didn't at first see Miss Randall, who sat behind some vines.

"Hello, Mollie Mauvorne!" he called in his gayest fashion. Then he caught sight of my caller and looked just the least bit disconcerted.

"This is a surprise, Miss Randall," he said rather lamely, but she smiled and said, "That is—are you still Miss Randall?"

"Oh, yes," she responded with an airy toss of her head. Ned sat on the steps and she plied him with reminiscences of the summer he had spent in Sandport six years earlier. Before she went the three of us arranged to meet at the beach for a swimming party the next morning.

After her departure Ned looked at me apologetically. "I'm afraid Miss Randall seems a little loud to you," he said. "She's a jolly, good-hearted girl—used to be, I mean."

"I'm glad to meet any old friend of yours, Ned," I replied, ashamed of myself because I could not feel as cordial as I sounded.

But I must be fair. When she appeared on the beach this morning Ned Randall was a glorious sight. In her black bathing suit her figure and her color were wonderful. And it wasn't her fault, or Ned's, that I felt thin and childish and insignificant.

I am not a good swimmer. I love the ocean, but mother was always timid about it and never wanted me to go far from shore. I have practiced with Ned, since I've been here in Sandport, but that's only a few days.

Ned Takes the Dare.

MISS RANDALL swims like a water snake and she and Ned enjoyed themselves hugely at first. He tried to keep near me, but I wouldn't have it, for I know he wanted a long swim.

Only when she dared him to swim out to the furthest buoy I protested. It was so far from shore that it seemed a black speck, and Ned agreed to swim in the icy Maine water for 20 minutes.

"Please wait till tomorrow for that swim," I pleaded. All three of us were standing in the shallows near the beach.

"I dare you, Ned Houghton!" repeated Miss Randall, calling him by his first name for the first time in my hearing.

"Ned," I tried again. "I shall be so worried if you go. I know you're a splendid swimmer, but the water is so cold. For my sake, don't try it!"

Then Ruby Randall laughed—scornfully.

"Take the dare," Ned shouted. "Don't worry, Mollie," and he plunged under a wave. Then, while I watched, he swam until his head, like the buoy, was a faint black speck.

(To be continued.)

Soap and Hard Water.

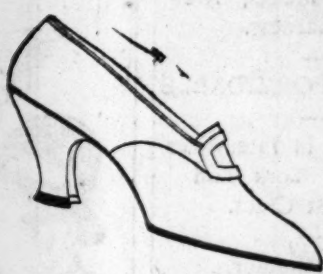
THE hardness of water is measured by degrees. When a gallon contains one grain of lime it is said to have one degree of hardness. When soap is used with hard water, about two and one-half ounces of it to each 100 gallons of water must be used for each degree of hardness, just to overcome hardness. It combines with the lime, forming a mineral product, and not until enough soap has been dissolved to overcome all the hardness does the soap do any good for cleansing purposes.

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MOTORBOAT POSTPONED UNTIL TUESDAY, JUNE 13

Future City A. C. Sets Back Wolgast-Russell Contest Because of Rain.

FORMER CHAMPION HERE

Accompanied by Manager Lichtenstein "Ad" Arrived in St. Louis This Morning.

By Harry S. Sharpe, Referee for the Future City Athletic Club and the Post-Dispatch's Boxing Authority.

Manager Tommy Sullivan of the Future City Athletic Club announced early this morning that, owing to the heavy rains of early today and the prospect of still further downfall during the afternoon, the bout between Frankie Russell of New Orleans and Ad Wolgast, scheduled to take place in the open air at the Motorboat tonight, has been postponed until Tuesday, June 13.

Wolgast and his manager, who have been expected in the city since Sunday, did not arrive until this morning. Lichtenstein, who has been in charge, was disappointed at the postponement, but promised to have Wolgast down here three days before the newly settled date. He also stated that Wolgast would work out at Eddie Handal's gymnasium some time this afternoon, just to show to those interested that his physical condition is all right. He seemed to go a few rounds with any boxer who cared to work out with him, provided they were not heavier than welterweights.

Wolgast has been going well of late, his manager told the Post-Dispatch this morning. He has knocked out three of his last five opponents and has beaten all five of them by decision. He may not be as good as he was when champion, but you can't tell it from the ringside. He still thinks he can win with any of the good lightweight, if they would give him a chance. And if you watch him tear into his opponents and knock them out you will think the same way.

Smith Shows Right Spirit.

Matty Smith, the lightweight boxer of Racine, Wis., whose recent contest with Johnny King before the Future City Athletic Club was declared "no contest" because both declared in violation of the rules, has written the following frank acknowledgment of his mistake on that occasion, and should restore him to the good graces of the fans:

Harry Sharpe, Official Referee Future City Athletic Club, Dear Sir:—I wish to apologize to you and the boxing fans of St. Louis for my violation of the rules in my bout with Johnny King. I also wish to apologize to the referee, Mr. Matty Smith, for my violation of the rules. I realize that I was in the wrong, and wish to say that I am sorry. I will box clean and give the best that is in me. Yours sincerely, MATTY SMITH.

St. Louis, Mo., June 6, 1916. The case of Smith is an exceptional one. He came here from Denver, Colo., and soon afterwards engaged in two bouts with Bobby Anderson before the Future City A. C. Both the contests were well boxed and hard fought.

Smith Made a "Hit" Here.

Each time Anderson was conceded the winner, but Smith had made a splendid impression, particularly so because he was boxing a bigger man than himself. He showed a willingness that won over the fans in a hurry. He displayed a spirit of good sportsmanship, too, by accepting his defeat by Anderson with grace.

Then came his bout with King, and it resulted in one of the roughest, most wretchedly boxed matches which has been witnessed here. Both violated the rules from the very beginning, and it was impossible to get either one of them to pay the slightest attention to the referee's instructions. This bout appeared to have ended the local career of both boxers.

In his manly acknowledgment of having made a mistake, Smith has done nothing surprising. It is just what might have been expected of him, judging of this boy as you meet him out of the ring. He is intelligent, well-mannered, ambitious to improve himself, and with no bad habits. He probably could do very well at many other occupations, but he wants to box. He is but 23 years of age, and should have quite a good future. There is no doubt about his earnestness, because his letter was supplemented by a conversation that made it positive.

Sheridan Arrives in St. Louis.

"Mickey" Sheridan, writing from Chicago, says he knows that "Sailor" Jerabek of St. Louis doesn't want any more of his game. So, passing up Jerabek, "Mickey" says it would please him mightily to get a match with Harry Treadall.

Just how "Mickey" arrives at his conclusion, he fails to state. When he was back before the St. Louis A. C. about six weeks ago, the "sailor" sailed him to the mat nearly every one of the eight rounds. "Mickey" was fat, very fat, but he wasn't knocked out. He was so fat that he believed that he would. If it had been Treadall in the ring that night, instead of Jerabek, the Chicago man would have gone back to the Windy City in deep mourning. After leaving here, Sheridan spread the news that he had defeated Jerabek, though there was not a paper in town that awarded him that distinction.

Morris and Dailey Matched.

Carl Morris, ex-engineer, "white hop" and ambitious for the "come-back" championship of the world, has been matched for a 10-round bout with Dan Dailey at Tulsa, Ok., on June 14. Dailey is a bigger man than Morris, and, next to Jess Willard, probably the biggest boxer in captivity. He is said to be 6 feet 6 inches tall and weighs 235 pounds. He is credited with a reach of 60 inches, which is four inches more than Morris has.

Oklahoma appears to be the particular State in which Morris can fight. There the natives think he should stay, and he is not. He will all the time in Oklahoma and not long ago took all the fire out of "Uncle Sam" Smith when he fought him. Morris has fought this time. In the contest, Morris has been called upon to meet in Oklahoma, so there is just a little anxiety concerning the result.

Harry Treadall, the local welterweight boxer, is wanted in Shreveport, La., to box the Henderson at a "brawl" on July 4.

Eastern Women in Golf Event.

MANCHESTER, Mass., June 4.—Forty women players started today on the second 18 holes of the 54-hole medal play competition for the women's Eastern Golf Association championship at the Essex Country Club. Weather conditions were favorable for four hours.

Last year the Post-Dispatch printed 11,000 copies of the "Male Help Wanted" ad, just 11,000 more than its nearest competitor.

WOLGAST'S COLUMN

The Troubles of Fielder Jones.

NOW that the big June rise of the Browns is fairly under way, friends of Fielder Jones are again piling up obstacles for the Browns leader. Unwise boosters of the club are already touting it to start straight to the top on the crest of the winning tide.

It was this same sort of optimism at the start of the season that made the task of Jones and his players so much harder. They were expected to go right to the front and remain there, come what might.

As a matter of fact a lot of luck—all good—will have to happen to the Jones tribe before it can slight first place with a big league telescope. With the best wishes toward the club in the world, it is impossible not to note the difficulties in the path of the team's leader.

And as for Our Browns—!

An unmitigated view of the Browns now seems to bear out the opinion expressed in this column, before the season opened, and occasionally since then, that the club has been seriously over-exploded. It has been rated above the quality of the timber that composes it. Too much is being asked of its manager as well.

As far as can be noted, there is little reason to believe that the Browns will have more than a single .300 slugger on the club in the final averages. Nor is there any better than four developed who shows a tendency to hit BEYOND the emergency tightness. That the club at the start played grossly below its real form few doubt; but, after viewing the results of six weeks' play, taken in connection with known facts concerning the past ability of the men in Fielder Jones' charge, it is impossible to find evidence on which to base legitimate permanent hopes.

Team Surpasses in Nothing.

FOR the club is supreme in nothing, if we except certain pairs of extremely fast legs, which have not thus far, fully co-ordinated with their respective brains department.

The team shows no signs of containing latent hitting power beyond that of the ordinary. It cannot yet boast even an air-tight pitcher, although Plank may later return to his former effectiveness.

Its defense is far from exceptional, save for two or three positions. It's catching even the most optimistic critic cannot believe has come up to pennant standards. With one or two exceptions, the known speed of the men has been hurt by instances of weak intelligence on the base lines.

Reserve Force Is No Better.

FROM what source there is to come the ability which is to result in a fight for the flag?

Combining the reserve force shows that Borton and Johnny Lavan are the main plugs for infield gaps, Johnny Tobin for the outfield, Koob and some youngsters for the pitching staff, and Chapman behind the bat.

Right here it may be said that the substitute talent seems almost as good as the regulars; but not quite, with the exception of Koob, and his recent fitness handicaps him as a factor for some time, even though he is now able to work out.

Wherein Hope Lies.

THE reasonable improvement to be expected from the regular team members is:

That Pratt will bat about .300 for the remainder of the season.

That Marans will improve a few points in hitting.

That Shotton will wear off the rough edges.

That Wellman and Davenport will round into dependable hurlers.

That Plank, at 42, will recover his former invincibility.

That the throwing of the catchers will improve.

That the full benefit of the team's speed will be utilized.

But, granting that ALL these happen, the club will still lack Detroit's swatting punch, will be outclassed by the Chicago, Washington and Boston air-tight pitching staffs, and will have no catching to compare with that of Schall and Schang.

The club does own a bang-up infield, which all is going well, and a lot of speed. With this it will have to offset the weaknesses noted. Do you believe it can be done?

Far from condemning Jones' management of the team, the writer thinks the shepherd of the Browns will pull a miracle if he lifts this club into the first division over the Washington, Boston, Detroit, Chicago, Cleveland and New York teams.

Moran, Defeated, More Prosperous Than Champion

Fighter Whom Willard Decisively Outpointed Gets \$25,000 for 10-Round Bout.

NEW YORK, June 6.—Frank Moran is enjoying all the prosperity of a ring champion, despite the fact that he is only a mediocre heavyweight. Alro, Francis possesses some of the qualifications of present-day titlholders, notably, a disinclination to meet logical opponents.

His recent unpleasantness with Jess Willard has spoiled Moran. Frank received close to \$25,000 for taking a 10-round pasting; and the size of that purse has apparently turned Moran's mind. It has also dimmed his vision, for Frank can see nothing less than \$25,000 whenever a fight is broached, regardless of the status of his proposed opponent.

Moran was offered \$15,000 to engage Carl Morris for 10 rounds. Moran looked upon this flattering offer contemptuously and demanded \$25,000. As a result negotiations were dropped.

What a Difference Now.

Only a few weeks ago Moran signed tentative articles for a 10-round muss with Jack Dillon in this city. Moran's demand for \$20,000 for his and the granted and the match finally seemed to be closed. Moran is now regarded as the articles of agreement and insisted that he receive at least \$25,000 for his services. He will get it.

And less than two years ago Moran got barely his expenses for fighting Champion Jack Johnson 20 rounds. Prior to that bout Moran was lucky to pull down several hundred dollars for his hardest fights.

All of which speaks well for the sagacity and shrewdness of his manager, Ike Dorgan. But these facts are not making Moran popular with the fight loving community. At present Frank is well liked by supporters of the game, but if he persists in overestimating the value of his services, Moran is likely to find himself not so much sought after by promoters, and as a consequence his popularity will wane, and the price for his appearance in the ring will greatly diminish.

The Moran-Dillon match will surely draw a sale of close to \$20,000. There is great interest in this match. In fact, it is the best heavyweight fight since the late Willard is tied up with the Sells-Floto circus. Moran will get his \$25,000, to be sure, but it will come out of Jack Dillon's end.

Moran also has a heavy \$25,000 to take on Fred Fulton, an unknown-heavyweight, who is quite possible, however, that Moran would come down from his \$25,000 perch if Jim Coffey were to be offered to him as an opponent. You see, Moran already knocked out Coffey twice, so he could afford to take a chance with Jim. Jim provided Frank gets \$17,000. That is Moran's price for a 10-round bout with a man he has stopped on two occasions.

Benny Leonard and George Cheneau are scheduled to box six rounds in Philadelphia this week. Here is a meeting of the two extremes in the ring—Leonard, cool, collected, calculating, Cheneau, aggressive and hot-blooded. A knockout punch in either glove-encased hand would knock the other out. Leonard is a jack-knife of the ring. Each is next to the champion in the title holders, and both are ignored by the title holders.

Lightweight Champion Freddy Walsh's Nemesis, where Cheneau is bitter medicine to Johnny Kilbane, the featherweight champion, who is looking for Leonard. If it goes through, will be Cheneau's first plunge into the lightweight ranks. The "knockout king,"

SALLEE TO WORK IN FIRST CLASH OF BRAVE SERIES

Cards, After Losing Odd Game to Phillies, Tackle Stallings' Men Today.

BOSTON, June 6.—Miller Huggins and his Cardinals, who have a record of 8-4 for their present road trip, play the first of their four-game series against the Braves here this afternoon. Huggins' cohorts broke even in four tilts at Chicago, while they lost the odd box score in three to the Phillies, dropping the final battle to Moran's men yesterday.

It is the intention of Huggins to send Harry Sallee, the southpaw, against Stallings' men today. Sal in the last game he hurled shut out the Cubs, 3-0, with five hits. When the Braves visited St. Louis recently, the left-hander handed them a contest, whitewash, beating Ragan and Reulbach, 2-0. In that contest, played May 22, he gave seven safeties.

George Tyler, who generally fools the Cardinals, is down to scale the pitching peak for the locals.

Niehoff Beats Huggins.

Bert Niehoff, the Phillie second sacker, beat Huggins' men yesterday. With two down in the Phils' half of the seventh, Bancroft walked. Niehoff then pounded out a double that scored the shortstop with the winning margin. That was not the only damage Niehoff did. In the first round he cracked one opening shot at a spelled disaster for Doak. After Niehoff's homer, Stoop doubled. Grayish walked and Whitford followed with a triple, counting both runners.

Laurens single counted Witte's. Four big runs for Moran.

The Cards started cutting down the margin in the second. Wilson was hit. Betzel doubled and Chief counted on Snyder's long fly. Two came in the sixth when Hornsby run was scored in each the seventh and eighth. Bender driving killer home with a double.

After the eighth the teams battled on even terms until Niehoff's "kay" in the eleventh.

Maplewood Breaks Even.

Maplewood won and lost last Sunday in the St. Louis County Junior League. Maplewood beat Webster Groves, 14-13, and lost to Old Orchard, 13-2.

Topeka Buys Henning.

TOPEKA, Kan., June 6.—Pete Henning, a pitcher, was purchased today by Manager John Savage of the Topeka club of the Western League from the Kansas City team of the American Association.

Giant Teams to Battle.

The St. Louis Giants are scheduled to play the first game of their series against the Chicago American Giants at Brock's Park this afternoon. The battle looked for yesterday was postponed on account of rain.

Davenport to Quit Three-I.

DAVENPORT, Ia., June 6.—According to a message from Dick R. Lane, president of the Davenport Baseball Association, who is now in Chicago, he will surrender the franchise of the local association in the Three-I League to President Tarnsey upon his return to Davenport. Poor attendance is given as the cause.

CHICAGO, June 6.—President Tarnsey said today he doubted that the Davenport club would be able to raise the money to buy the Three-I franchise. He said he was doing his best to get the club back on its feet, but it would be the last, he thought, to withdraw.

Joe Tinker has cleaned up \$100,000 in baseball in 14 years. While Joe may be a piker along side of Charlie Chaplin, there's many an honest cowboy who doesn't make that much money in 14 years or even 15 years.

as he is affectionately termed, has offered Kildane every reasonable inducement for a titular bout, but Kildane has turned a deaf ear to all of Chicago's pleadings.

Leonard, likewise, is willing that Welsh should fight for a match with this title at stake; but wily Freddy has thus far eluded the inevitable meetings.

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Reuter Dahl Sees Lesson for U. S. in Jutland Fight More Dreadnoughts Big Need

PHILADELPHIA, June 6.—During a 10 hours' fighting the other afternoon, the British lost a greater number of ships than the naval appropriation bill, now before the Senate, will add to the American navy. This figure, of course, does not cover the submarines which the bill provides.

If the reports be true, both the German and English lost more than half as many capable ships as are now in actual commission in the American fleet. And more than one-half of the number of men which the appropriation

ed and able to stand hard punishment. Congress is more interested in "poor" than preparedness. The appropriation bill will give the navy a modern plan which will deliver no rest for five years, it provides a civilian ginger corps untrained in naval engineering, a pork-barrel scheme poured over the head and against the ad of the navy, whereby the needy politicians will gather 300 more plums during the next 10 years to come. The provides not enough men to man the ships already authorized and build

There was the first instance in modern times where two enemies met equal skill and courage. For the first time up-to-date fighting machines met in combat which became a thorough test of all the intricate and scientific conveniences which belong to the floating arm known as "dreadnought." The British navy says "that it is upon the navy that it under the good providence of God, wealth, prosperity and peace of

islands and of the empire do
linely depend." **THE**
and this is why the people of Great
Britain themselves secure be-
their sea power, are now thick-
hard and with bowed heads in
ir hands. **THE**
not alone are the British upset. But
faith in the great British navy with
ancient lineage of web-footedness,
its Nelson touch, has received a
the world over. **THE**
As we know the action now, it seems
have been neither a British victory
a British defeat. The losses fig-

equally on both sides. But it was shocking far to British pride that the admiralty's strategy was such that a whole fast wing of battle cruisers could virtually wiped out before the British fleet reached the scene of action ready to pummel the Germans to bits. The question will be asked in Parliament, "Was Colonel Churchwright when he said that the main British fleet was bated too far away from the North?"

For as we know, the grand fleet has been whittled from one base to another in the friths of Scotland.

...if true, means that Jellicoe's ships would have to steam some 100 to 150 miles in 24 hours' time, before making contact. Naturally the Germans are jubilant. Wilson will not deny that the battle of Jutland is a great moral victory for the Kaiser. The Germans became the victors. They finally "came out" of their "shell" conditions, a nation tired of being the iron grip of the British blockade, drove the German fleet eastwards and incidentally to a moral victory.

Should Make Us Think Hard.

It is strange that the British should make us think hard.

And though the greatest country in the world when it comes to national defence we are still in the kindergarten class. Today every serious-minded officer in the British navy is mentally making an estimate of the situation, taking stock so to speak.

Lifetime's training has made him realise that defeat at sea means the end of a nation, and he knows that it does not hang upon personal bravado upon preparation for war. God knows that the lads who went down in the battle of Britain had no idea they could be so brave, that they could be so good.

—*W. G. W.*

"so they had to die. Their force was weak in numbers, and brave men do not balance the absence of even one man out from the battle line. But the trained man knows this, the content of military and naval history. The "man in the street" prepared is yet an abstract affair. He does not rise in wrath because Congress is wasting the navy's future by wasting the taxpayer's money." To him a ship is a spot in the landscape, and verily he doesn't care. It is because of his indifference that the BuShins and Fords prosper, and national

ness becomes a party issue. The action in the North Sea stands in ominous warning to the United States. It shows that a young nation like Germany, with no traditions at all behind it, can inflict a heavy punishment on a more superior enemy. It should be a lesson to the eyes of the people. The lesson is this: because of the strength in numbers, virtually the sea is Germany's one, Great Britain stands up to her losses. She still stands up to her losses. Heaviest losses, who cannot be replaced like the merchant ships. Her main fleet remains

ached, Great Britain's sole bulwark
y. The life and death of the British
deports took upon the continen-
mastery of the sea.

aving but the fourth navy in the
ld, the loss of three capital ships
as happened in the North
ould prove a disaster to the de-
the American Navy. We have no re-
e force.

ay our dreadnought strength is but
s. Our Navy has three have just
to into commission and are
in equipment, nor have they fired
ngle aimed shot. We have not even

Civil War Veteran Was Twice United States Submaster in St. Louis.

Gen. Bernard G. Farrar, 55 years old, who was breveted Brigadier General of the United States Army at the close of the Civil War, and who was the post of Federal Submaster here, died at 10 o'clock this morning at his home 2435 Franklin avenue, from the infirmities of age. His wife died a few days ago.

Gen. Farrar was a native of

the battle cruiser, not one modern nor a sea-going submarine. A man can realize what will happen should the fleet be composed of such inferior in ships numbers, most as powerful as the German fleet engaged in the battle of the Skagerrack. Not a *Slamie Dreadnought*. The fleet the pacifists have the eyes. The appropriation bill will go to the house without provision for even a single battleship. The bill will give the navy no more than 100 battle cruisers, 100 destroyers and 50 submarines. We need battle cruisers, but the backbone of the fleet is still the dreadnought.

right, and of those we are to have. This action has shown what we know, that swift as the battle cruisers, it cannot stand up against the midnight, which is heavier protection within the past year. His son, B. Farrar, is employed in the Treasury Department in Washington, and his daughter, Mrs. George Belcher, lives at the Franklin avenue home.

2-CENT ADVANCE IS SCORED IN LOCAL WHEAT MARKET

TUESDAY'S COMPARATIVE FUTURE QUOTATIONS.
Reported by St. Louis Merchants' Exchange. ST. LOUIS, June 8.

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JULY WHEAT.									
	Openin'.	High.	Low.	Close.	Mon. Last Year.	Close			
St. Louis	101	103 3/4	101	102 1/4	101 3/4	100 3/4			
Chicago	100 1/2	102 1/2	100 1/2	101 1/2	101 1/2	100 1/2			
Kansas City	99 3/4	101 3/4	99 3/4	100 3/4	100 3/4	97 1/2			
Minneapolis	100 1/2	111 1/2	100 1/2	111 1/2	110 1/2	100 1/2			
Toledo	110	111 1/2	110	111 1/2	110 1/2	109 1/2			
SEPTEMBER WHEAT.									
St. Louis	103 1/2	105 1/2	103 1/2	104 1/2	104 1/2	103 1/2			
Chicago	104 1/2	107 1/2	104 1/2	107 1/2	107 1/2	106 1/2			
Kansas City	98 1/2	100 3/4	98 1/2	100 3/4	100 3/4	96 1/2			
Minneapolis	108 1/2	119 1/2	108 1/2	119 1/2	118 1/2	108 1/2			
Toledo	112 1/2	119 1/2	112	118 1/2	118 1/2	110 1/2			
FURN CORN.									
St. Louis	65 1/2	65 1/2	65 1/2	65 1/2	65 1/2	65 1/2			
Chicago	65 1/2	70 1/2	65 1/2	68 1/2	68 1/2	65 1/2			
Kansas City	65 1/2	68 1/2	65 1/2	68 1/2	68 1/2	65 1/2			
Minneapolis	65 1/2	68 1/2	65 1/2	68 1/2	68 1/2	65 1/2			
Toledo	65 1/2	68 1/2	65 1/2	68 1/2	68 1/2	65 1/2			

		SEPTEMBER CORN.				
St. Louis	65 1/2 %	65 1/2 %	65 1/4 %	65 1/2 %	67 1/2 %	70 1/2 %
Chicago	65 1/2 %	65 1/2 %	65 1/4 %	65 1/2 %	67 1/2 %	71 1/2 %
Kansas City	65 1/2 %	65 1/2 %	65 1/4 %	65 1/2 %	64 1/2 %	66 1/2 %
		DECEMBER CORN.				
St. Louis	55 1/2 %	55 1/2 %	55 1/4 %	55 1/2 %	57 1/2 %	59 1/2 %
Chicago	55 1/2 %	55 1/2 %	55 1/4 %	55 1/2 %	57 1/2 %	59 1/2 %
Kansas City	57 1/4 %	57 1/4 %	57 1/2 %	57 1/2 %	56 1/2 %	58 1/2 %
		JULY OATS.				
St. Louis	34 1/2 %	34 1/2 %	34 1/2 %	34 1/2 %	35 1/2 %	36 1/2 %
Chicago	40 1/2 %	40 1/2 %	39 1/2 %	39 1/2 %	38 1/2 %	44 1/2 %
		SEPTEMBER OATS.				
St. Louis	25 1/2 %	25 1/2 %	25 1/2 %	25 1/2 %	26 1/2 %	27 1/2 %
Chicago	35 1/2 %	35 1/2 %	35 1/2 %	35 1/2 %	34 1/2 %	40 1/2 %

The Liverpool cable said: Wheat opened weak, with general pressure to sell, but the market was quiet. The London market was weak, unchanged to 6d lower. The American market was quiet. Demand and pressure of Manitoba. Cargoes were weak: winters 6d lower and Manitoba stilling lower than yesterday, with minor lags. Plates and Australian stilling lower than yesterday. Freight and native offers, with continuing pressure on the latter.

used heavy receipts in the United States and large export arrivals from Canada caused the weakness. The corn market was weak; spot and lower parcels did lower. Higher quality and Platts' offered, with consumption here limited.

Corn futures were strong and over to higher. A break of a break of 25¢ in 5d in Liverpool. Wet weather, with low temperatures retarding growth, and reports of a quick necessary replanting were factors in the advance. Coarse grains closed strong.

Wheat, says: "I have reports this morning from the superintendents of a line of elevators on the Union Pacific that the grain crop in the northwestern reports represent 14 counties with an

1. STOCK CATTLE QUOTATIONS

Good to choice	8.00	25
Medium to good	7.50	25
Medium to good feeders	4.75	25
Medium to good stockers	4.75	25
Medium to good steers	2.50	25
Common light stockers	2.50	25
Common light steers	2.50	25
Stock calves	2.50	25
Medium stock cows	2.50	25
Medium stock steers	2.50	25
Medium to good calves	2.50	25
Medium to good calves	2.50	25

HOGS—Prices were on a rule a dime lower in several markets. Pigs and lights were 15¢ lower on a rule. The top of the market was 15¢ lower. Butcher and good shipping hogs sold at 15¢.

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average somewhere around 10 tunsels.	27.184	40	0.80	39.70	0.80
This line of elevators covers some of the	34.184	40	0.25	41.00	0.25
very best wheat territory in Kansas, in	16.185	40	0.25	22.178	0.25
normal years.	27.186	40	0.13	32.70	0.13
Broomhall cabled: "There is a fair	41.180	40	0.13	43.00	0.13
consumptive demand for foreign grains					
of oats and arrivals keep fair. Con-	44.152	40	0.75	18.131	0.88
sumption is fairly good."	12.150	40	0.88	24.127	0.80
American and stocks at Continental					
port light as consumption is heavy ov-					

ing to military usage. Weather has favored the grain and stock sections, but reports of acreage are not satisfactory.

"France is officially announced that the flour and grain situation of wheat flour and foreign grain made available for the military use of the army can be sold in competition with French mills.

"In Australia—Final account for wheat will show a large reduction. Dryness continues over a wide area. Total viable stock is estimated at 1,000,000 bushels.

HORSE QUOTATIONS.

Heavy draft horses—\$100.00 to \$150.00
Eastern Chucks—\$100.00 to \$150.00
Light draft horses—\$100.00 to \$150.00
Horse quotations are subject to change without notice. For the latest quotations, see the market for everything but war mules was 10% hands and over, found out at stand prices.

Northwest cars:	Today	Last Yr.	Southern horses, good	\$36 1/2
Minneapolis	187	177	Southern horses, plain	30 1/2
Duluth	190	44	Southern horses, common	100 1/2
Winnipeg	494	175	Choice saddlers	80 23
Minneapolis wheat decreased 50,000 bu for 3 days; four shipments 38,385 barrels;			Plugs	
			MULE QUOTATIONS.		
			16 to 16 1/2 hands	\$150 00
			15 to 15 1/2 hands	125 00
			14 to 14 1/2 hands	100 00
			13 to 13 1/2 hands	80 00

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**FOREIGN BUYING HELPS
CHICAGO WHEAT MARKET**

CHICAGO, June 6.—Active foreign buying here today created a scarcity of offerings and lifted the wheat market today. Active foreign buying here today created a scarcity of offerings and lifted the wheat market today.

had shown a tendency to waver at the outset. Suggestions that the European demand was in some way connected with the disaster to Lord Kitchener failed to be taken into the contrary; several trade authorities here were inclined to the view that his death, if it had any effect on prices, would count on

B: cows and heifers, \$3.75@8.10; calves, \$3@11.25; sheep—Receipts, 100; weak, with-
 @ \$7.25; lambs, \$7.75@10; springs, \$8.25
 @11.25.

St. Joseph Livestock.
ST. JOSEPH, Mo., June 6.—Hogs—Receipts

Opening quotations, with ranged from ¼¢ decline to ¼¢ advance, with July at \$1.05½, to \$1.04 and September at \$1.05 to \$1.04½, were followed by a decided general upturn. Under the influence of the weather, the bullish influence on corn. Buying, however, was not of an aggressive character. After opening ¼¢ to 1½¢ higher, the market continued to harden.

Oats rose with other cereals. Nevertheless,

8500; 100 lower; tns. \$1.30 bulk \$1.25
Cattle—Receipts, 1000; 100 lower; tns. \$1.25 bulk \$1.20
Hogs—Receipts, 1000; 100 lower; tns. \$1.25 bulk \$1.20
Sheep—Receipts, 1000; 100 lower; tns. \$1.25 bulk \$1.20
Caves, \$1.00 to \$1.00 Sheep—Receipts, 1000; 100 lower; tns. \$1.25 bulk \$1.20
to 25c lower; spring lambs \$1.10 to \$1.11
Summer lambs, \$1.50 to \$1.50, clipped ewes, \$1.25 to \$1.25.

Kansas City Livestock,
KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 8.—Hogs—

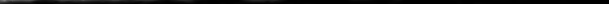
in corn, track lake volume
Lower prices on hedarsars down provisions. About the only demand was from shorts.

Orleans, No. 2, 1.00; No. 3, 90¢. Hard, No. 1, 1.04;
 No. 2, 95¢; No. 3, 85¢. Soft, No. 1, 1.04; No. 2,
 90¢; No. 3, 80¢. Corn, No. 1, 1.02; No. 2, 95¢;
 No. 3, 90¢. Meal, No. 1, 1.00; No. 2, 95¢;
 No. 3, 90¢. Oats, No. 1, 1.00; No. 2, 95¢;
 No. 3, 90¢. Hay, No. 1, 1.00; No. 2, 95¢;
 No. 3, 90¢. Eggs, No. 1, 1.00; No. 2, 95¢;
 No. 3, 90¢. Butter, No. 1, 1.00; No. 2, 95¢;
 No. 3, 90¢. Lard, No. 1, 1.00; No. 2, 95¢;
 No. 3, 90¢. Tallow, No. 1, 1.00; No. 2, 95¢;
 No. 3, 90¢. Soap, No. 1, 1.00; No. 2, 95¢;
 No. 3, 90¢. Candles, No. 1, 1.00; No. 2, 95¢;
 No. 3, 90¢. Sticks, No. 1, 1.00; No. 2, 95¢;
 No. 3, 90¢.

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cant, demand good.
 Cash oats 4c to 1c up and scarce;
 demand good for better No. 2 white;
 dull otherwise.

Toledo Cash Markets.		Cincinnati Livestock.	
TOLEDO, O., June 6.—Wheat—Cash,	CINCINNATI, June 6.—Hogs—Receipts,	2700. Steady; common to choice, \$4.70 to \$4.80.	
\$1.14; July, \$1.15; September, \$1.13.	Cattle and light—Receipts, 1000. Receipts,	1000. Receipts, 1000. Receipts, 1000.	
Climate clear, light, 60 to 65 degrees.	500. Quiet. Calves, strong, \$5.11 to \$5.20.		
December, \$0.70. Alaska—Prime cash and	500. Receipts, 800. Steady; \$3.17 to \$3.23; lambs,		
August, \$0.50; timothy, prime cash, \$3.30;	steady.		
September, \$3.32.			



The Jarr Family

Written for the Post-Dispatch
By Roy L. McCardell

Mrs. Jarr Calls on Mrs. Grimley and Makes Excuses for Mr. Jarr.

"We really ought to call on the Grimleys," said Mrs. Jarr. "I've been putting it off and putting it off, and now we simply must call. I don't want her to get down on me! All she does is talk about her friends."

"Mrs. Grimley is not popular with me," replied Mr. Jarr, picking up his paper. "You can call there if you like, but it will never be visiting day for me."

"You don't want to go anywhere with me," said Mrs. Jarr. "And I think it would be an agreeable change for you if you took a little interest in social affairs. Our new neighbor, Mr. Stanley, goes everywhere with his wife. The Stanleys are to be at the Grimleys today. I don't see why you don't come; you have a cutaway coat and a silk hat, but you never want to go anywhere except to be out at night, and I'm sure I don't know where you are or whom you're with!"

"There you go again!" said Mr. Jarr. "I haven't been out of the house for weeks, except once or twice, and I'd fit in nice at a pink tea wearing my regalia and a pearl gray tie and saying, 'Charming affair, isn't it?' like that ladyfied fellow Stanley!"

"There are worse men than Mr. Stanley," replied Mrs. Jarr. "He selects all his wife's hats, and she gets a lot of them, too, and look at the old hat I have to wear. I'm ashamed to go anywhere." "Go, whisk!" exclaimed Mr. Jarr. "You have more hats than I have. As for that fellow Stanley—what do I care for him? He may select his wife's hairpins, too, for all I know. That's all he is good for. She pays for them. He hadn't a cent when she met him when he was clerking in a store and married him, and he hasn't worked since."

"But I know he goes with her everywhere, and he's just as attentive to her as he can be," said Mrs. Jarr. "I heard it was because she never allowed him a cent for carfare even unless she was along, and if he goes along when she buys her hats she goes along when he's getting anything he needs because she doesn't trust him with the money."

"I won't hear you talking about people that way!" said Mrs. Jarr. "They appear to be very nice people and I'm surprised at you speaking about them."

"You told me all that yourself," replied Mr. Jarr.

"I never did," said Mrs. Jarr. "I never heard it until today; I wonder if it is true?"

"Please don't let us talk about the Stanleys any longer," said Mr. Jarr. "And you won't come with me to call on the Grimleys?" asked Mrs. Jarr after a pause.

"No, I won't!" said Mr. Jarr. Mrs. Jarr drew on her gloves and went out.

When she arrived at the Grimleys she informed her hostess that Mr. Jarr would not come. "You know how it is," said Mrs. Jarr. "He's very fond of you and Mr. Grimley but he just can't stand that silly Mr. Stanley."

"I don't blame him," replied Mrs. Grimley. "Of all the cheap little fops!"

"Did you know his wife won't give him a cent and that they had terrible quarrels because he borrowed nickels and dimes from the servants?" asked Mrs. Jarr.

"I heard they were going to separate and that Mr. Stanley will sue for alimony," said Mrs. Grimley. "Hush! Here they come now!"

PERHAPS the reason there are so many poor efforts to write poetry is that many persons mistake a lump in the throat for inspiration.

The Selfish Girl.

BOO-HOO!" sobbed the bride. "You don't love me any more."

"Why, of course I do, sweetheart," protested her husband. "What makes you think I don't?"

"You didn't eat any of those b-b-biscuits I made."

"There, there, honeybunch! Don't cry! I would have dearly loved to eat them, but you know the doctor has forbidden me to eat hot biscuits."

"That's just it!" wailed the bride. "You think m-more of that horrid old d-doctor than you do of your own little wife, and I'm going straight home to m-my m-mother. Boo-hoo-hoo!"

Her Question

A SUNDAY school superintendent, who happened also to be the leading local draper, was putting a class of tiny children through a little examination.

When he had finished he said calmly: "Now, have any of you a question you would like to ask me?"

A very small girl raised a timid hand.

"What is it, Martha?" asked the superintendent.

"Please, Mr. Brooka," said the small girl, "how much are those little red parasols you have in your window?"

That Settled It.

I SEE Boggs' wife has an automobile. I thought he was opposed to the idea.

"He was, but she was opposed to his opposition."

MUTT and JEFF—At a Mile a Day They Should Reach Chicago by June, 1919!

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S'MATTER POP?

Pooh! What's \$10,000 if baby is quiet!

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"You haven't looked in the cellar yet," reminded the agent.

Unavailable Logic.

POLICEMAN: What are you standing here for?
Loser: Nuffink.
Policeman: Well, just move on. If everybody was to stand in one place, how would the rest get past?—Titt-Sitt.

Don't Ever Let Anyone Tell You This as a New One.

HOW do you suppose Solomon ever managed a thousand wives?
"If I knew that I'd be as wise as Solomon."

Exempt.

WE'VE been playing school, mama," said little Ethel.
"Indeed?" replied her mother. "I hope you behaved nicely."
"Oh, I didn't have to behave," said Ethel. "I was the teacher."

The difference between marriage and lottery is that in a lottery you have a chance and in marriage you merely take a chance.

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